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TURKS ASK FOR TWO WEEKS DELAY

Seek More Time To Consider Treaty Session Suspends

Ismet Pasha Says Interval Would Be Taken Up in Striving to Reach Agreement on Pact.

(By The Associated Press)

LAUSANNE, Jan. 31.—Ismet Pasha head of the Turk delegation to the Near Eastern conference, asked the conference today for a delay of two weeks before the signature to the peace treaty is given and a delay of eight days before a meeting of the commission. The interval would be employed by striving to reach an agreement. The Turks desire the delay of eight days so they may not need give a definite reply as to acceptance of the treaty until that time expires. The session was suspended to allow the Allies to reach an agreement. On the resumption of the conference, Lord Curzon said it would be impossible to satisfy the Turk requirements as to time but personally he was ready to remain at Lausanne until Sunday evening.

(By The Associated Press)

LAUSANNE, Jan. 31.—The French delegation's announcement that it could not consent to leaving Lausanne so long as there was prospect of agreement with Turkey, led to complications among the Allies which brought the Near East conference to the brink of a greater impasse than had been anticipated for "Treaty A." That the French delegation's action is understood to have the support of the Italians was further confirmed by a message to M. Bompard from Paris, declaring that France was willing to make further concession to the Turks and that she did not consider the Allied treaty as definite. The British received this as a flagrant violation of the mutal understanding arrived at by the Allied plenipotentiaries, a few days ago.

This agreement provided that if Turkey did not sign the treaty today the powers would withdraw leaving a few experts to supply the Angora representatives with any desired information. The plan contemplated the return of the Allied delegation if and when the Turks agreed to sign. Such a procedure it was said appeared to France as too much of an ultimatum and constituted an obstacle in the way of peace and the French delegates took the ground that if Turkey asked for time the Allies should remain here.

Miss Hutchens Weds H. B. Moseley

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at the Trinity Methodist church, Newport News, Tuesday afternoon, when Harris Berford Moseley, of Danville, and Miss Carrie Kunkle Hutchens, of Newport News, were married.

Miss Hutchens is the daughter of W. K. Hutchens, a retired business man of that place. She is popular in society and church work and will be greatly missed by her friends there

Mr. Moseley was formerly of Lynchburg where he was employed by the Patterson Drug Company. He came to Danville about a year ago and was with the Stephenson Drug Store for a short while and since then has been employed by the Danville store of the Patterson Drug Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Moseley after an extended wedding trip to Washington, Baltimore, New York, and Norwalk, Conn., will be at home to their friends about March 25th.

Hardings To Come South In March

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—President and Mrs. Harding expect to leave Washington the night of March 5th for their Florida trip, it was learned today No itinerary has been arranged, but it is believed the first stop will be St. Augustine where the President enjoys the golf course and then several stops will be made down the coast.

Refugee Ship Sunk; 20 Die

(By The Associated Press)

MANILLA, Jan. 31.—With the arrival here today of the steamer Paris, a belated member of the fleet of Russian refugees, it was learned that her sister ship had been sunk off Formosa last week with the loss of 20 lives.

"HOME, BOYS, HOME"



Big army trucks bore American doughboys on the first stages of their trip home from the Rhine to America.

Council Delegates Discuss Reports of Diocese Activity

Church's Programme to Be Topic of Discussion This Afternoon—Seminary to Be Added to.

With the ranks of delegates to the annual session of the Council of the Diocese of Southern Virginia increased by late arrivals during the course of yesterday afternoon, the second session began this morning in Epiphany church with Morning Prayer conducted by Rev. E W Mellichampe, of Halifax, assisted by Rev. C. E. McAllister of Hampton who took the place of Rev. F. M. Diehl of Farmville who is prevented from attending the session by illness.

Following the devotionals the first business session of the council was begun with Bishop B. D. Tucker presiding and conducting the council's business with despatch. The report of the committee on credentials was submitted showing the presence of about 100 clerical and lay delegates authorized representatives of the various parishes. Matters for future discussion were also touched on briefly and referred to their proper committees for reports which will be heard tomorrow. The election of committees followed and subsequently were heard reports from the treasurer of the diocese, treasurer of the church's program, the historiographer, the chancellor, the examining chaplains, Archdeacon Ribble (who spoke last night on missions) and the archdeacon of work among the colored people.

This afternoon will be taken up with discussion of the nation-wide program which has come to be termed the church's program and interesting discussions are expected to be heard.

Tonight Rev. E. R. Carter, D. D., of Petersburg, is to speak on religious education.

Early this morning there was still doubt as to whether Bishop Tucker's son, Bishop Harry St. George Tucker, of Kyoto, would be here tonight to speak on missionary work in the Orient. It is understood that Bishop Tucker whose name appears on the program telegraphed here saying that he could not be present but it is known that his father has telegraphed to him again and has asked him to come if possible. No reply had come at this writing.

News of timely interestly to this diocese comes from Richmond where a meeting of the executive committee of the Virginia Diocean Missionary Society was held several days ago and at which was revealed a defict of $55,000 of the quota desired.

It was stated that of the quota of $270,000, $180,000 for work in the diocese, and $30,000 for general missionary work outside the state, only $215,000 has been contributed. As a result Bishop William Cabell Brown has sent a letter to each church in the diocese urging that every effort be exerted toward raising the funds necessary to meet this deficit of $55,000.

The movement in the diocese of Virginia is headed by a committee appointed by the Diocesan Missionary Society, and composed of W. Russell Rowe, John Stewart Bryan and Lewis C. Williams. It is hoped that at least half of the deficit, that due the general church, can be raised, and if possible the other half also. Speakers presented the case in the majority of the churches January 21, and a few others spoke Sunday of this week. The Rev. G. McLaren Brydon, treasurer, states that sufficient time has not yet elapsed for contributions to begin coming in, but expects a generous response within the next few days.

The Rev. Mr. Brydon states that the program of the dioceses for 1923 for the diocese of Virginia calls for $190,000, of which a quota will be assigned to each parish. There is also $100,000 additional for advance work, this to be contributed by additional gifts from each parish.

According to Mr. Brydon, the contribution by the diocese of $215,000 during 1922 is by no means a discreditable showing, although $55,000 below the year's quota. He states that this amount is more than four times as much as the diocese had had ever given until 1920, when the drive for funds in the nation-wide campaign was launched.

One of the most important matters that came up for consideration this morning was the question of the representation of the colored clergy in the council. A resolution was passed at the last council which gave the colored clergy enfranchisement and the matter was up for final consideration this morning. There was opposition to taking final action on the matter at this council and it was on this matter of delay that debate centered. On a vote the matter was referred to a committee for consideration to report at the next council The colored clergy have partial enfranchisement at present.

The next Diocesan Council of Southern Virginia will meet in St. Andrews church, Norfolk. Action to this effect was taken this morning by the council in accepting the invitation of Ivor A. Page, lay delegate from St. Andrews.

The election of officers resulted in the re-election of the old officers as follows:

William A. Brown, D. D., Portsmouth, secretary; William W. Old, Jr., Norfolk, treasurer; Thos. H. Wilcox, Norfolk, chancellor; Rev. William A. R Goodwin, D. D., of William and Mary College, registrar-historiographer.

Standing committee—Rev J. Cleveland Hall, D. D., Danville; Rev. E. R. Carter, D. D., Petersburg; Rev. M. B. Marshall, Norfolk; C W. Grady, Norfolk; E. W. Maupin, Jr., Portsmouth, and E. B. Hodges, Norfolk.

Finance Committee—Rev. H H. Covington, D. D., Norfolk, Va.; Rev. E. Ruffin Jones, Williamsburg; Rev. M. S. Taylor, Danville; T. W. Mathews, ortsmouth; W. W. Old, Jr., Norfolk; Thos. W. Wilcox, Norfolk.

Board of Missions—Rev. D. W. Howard, D. D., Norfolk; Rev. Wm. A. Brown, D. D., Portsmouth; Rev. E. P. Dandridge, Petersburg; F. W. Darling, Hampton; C. J. Faulkner, Bowdon, and G. C. McGann, Franklin.

Rev. Malcolm S. Taylor conducted the devotionals last night and the vested choir of the church also sang. Bishop Tucker in presenting Archdeacon Ribble spoke of the high importance of missionary work and dwelt briefly on what it means to the church indicating by his earnestness how dear this subject is to his heart The generosity of parishes which contribute to the maintenance of the work and the effective work of the archdeacon were lauded by the bishop.

It is the archdeacon's duty to travel from place to place within the confines of the diocese especially in those parishes which are without ministers.

(Continued on page two.)

CONDITION UNCHANGED

Floyd Oden, colored, seriously wounded in his wife last Sunday during a quarrel, is still in a critical state at the Providence hospital, inquiries there revealed this morning. Oden is suffering from a severe gunshot wound in the back, the shot having penetrated the lung. The negress is in jail

COURT BEGINS MONDAY.

The civil term of the corporation court will begin on Monday with a full docket of actions, Judge D. F. Withers, who recently returned from Florida, will preside. The petit jury list has been placed in the hands of City Sergeant Boisseau and he is summoning jurors as well as witnesses in the pending cases.

Attacked Girl Is Improving

The condition of Miss Iola Payne, who was attacked last Sunday night on Wyllie avenue by an unknown man, is reported as improving at her home on Girard street. The police are continuing their efforts to apprehend the man guilty of the offense but they have been unable so far to succeed owing chiefly to the slender description given of the man. About all they know is that he wore a grey overcoat. It was learned today that a Schoolfield man had been temporarily detained by the police and taken before the young girl who is reported to have been positive that he was not the man. He was given his liberty promptly.

A brother of the girl is understood to have made remarks this morning about the conduct of the case which drew a sharp protest from Police Sergeant J. L. Edwards The officer said that the young man cast a reflection on the police force, asserting that it was laggard in trying to solve the mystery. His remarks are said to have been such, that the officer silenced him after informing him that the entire police force was doing all that it could but that it was severely handicapped by the meagre description of his sister's assailant. The brother, the officer said, demanded an explanation why 'that red-headed man' had not been arrested and was told that the police had insufficient evidence on which to take action, but that if Payne felt that action against this man, whose name was not divulged, should be taken that all he had to do was to swear out a warrant. A somewhat heated controversy was brought to a close by the interposition of friends nearby who urged that the police be given further opportunity to solve the mystery.

Police detectives and officers are working on the case and have been checking up certain persons who come within the range of possible suspicion. A good deal of work has been quietly going on ever since the matter was reported. Police Sergeant Edwards said today.

Governor Refuses Conditional Pardon

RICHMOND, Jan. 31.—Governor Trinkle today refused to grant a conditional pardon to W. O. Jones, of Norfolk, doing 20 years in the Virginia penitentiary for murder. Jones sought a release from prison on the ground that his health was impaired. the petition representing that he was suffering from an aggravated form of stomach trouble and was unable to digest or assimilate the prison fare. Governor Trinkle reached his decision after a commission of skilled diagnosticians had reported that they had been unable to find anything organically the matter with him, their opinion being that it was a clear case of malingering. In his petition, Jones asked that he be released on condition that he would have to return to prison to complete his sentence in the event he recovered his health. As a guarantee of good faith, he offered to give bond.

He was sent up from Norfolk about a year ago after being convicted of participating in the murder of several Japanese sailors abroad a vessel in Norfolk harbor. In the facas. he was stabbed in the back of the neck with a dagger which is said to have pierced one of his lungs. As a consequence, he contracted tuberculosis while in Norfolk jail awaiting trial, according to representations in his petition to the governor and was released on bond before trial so that his health would not be further jeopardized by close confinement. He is now under treatment in the hospital section of the Virginia penitentiary.

Math Teachers Will Hold Test

(By The Associated Press)

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Jan. 31.—Teachers of mathematics from colleges and schools throughout North Carolina will meet here Friday and Saturday, February 16-17. They have organized the North Carolina Association of Teachers of Mathematics and the meeting is being arranged by A. W. Hobbs, associate professor of mathematics at the University of North Carolina.

The guest of honor and principal speaker will be W. S. Schlauck, of New York an authority on the teaching of mathematics. He will deliver two talks in Chapel Hill, "Practical High School Mathematics" and "Geometry and Analytical Methods of Thinking."

For the past eight years, Mr. Schlauck, it was stated, has been a lecturer in the school of education in New York University, and teaches business mathematics in the school of commerce in that institution. He also has given courses at Columbia.

"The object of our association," said Mr. Hobbs today, "is to make mathematics a live force in the schools and colleges, by achieving the very best possible methods of instructions. The modern and proper way is to avoid rigid, mechanical methods. Mathematics can and should be made genuinely interesting, and we teachers help one another by getting together at these periodical meetings to exchange experiences and suggestions."

WEDDING LICENSES ISSUED.

Wedding licenses have been issued by the clerk of the corporation court to Thomas Hasler Owen and Willie Heigh Bray, both of Cunningham, N. C., and to Jesse D. Sours, Chatham, and Irene Vernon Griffith, Danville.

Britain Meets American Plan

Cabinet Decides Definitely to Accept Suggestion of American Debt Funding Commission.

(By The Associated Press)

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Great Britain has decided to accept the American offer in regard to the refunding of the war debt.

The government decision was reached at a cabinet meeting today. There was a full attendance of ministers and apparently they entered the meeting with the decision already formed to follow the recommendation of the Chancellor of the Exchequer as discussion lasted only a fe wminutes. The terms are three per cent. for ten years and 3 1-2 per cent. thereafter. No reservation was made regarding Great Britain's being allowed to pay the total sum after the ten year period.

WILL ASK CONGRESS TO CHANGE LAWS

The British decision to accept the American debt funding suggestion was said today by Secretary Mellon to open the way for immediate drafting of recommendations to the president for changes in the funding law to legalize the terms suggested in the American proposition While the Secretary explained that no public move would be made by the American commission pending receipt of official notification of the decision which must come through the British Embassy he explained that the American commission was in a position to begin at once an outline of details which the president could transmit to council. The nature of the recommendations which the committee may make were not disclosed but indications were that a broadening of the commission's authority would be requested so that it could carry the negotiations to a conclusion with hope of final settlement before Congress ends its session on March 4th.

Swanson Approves Finance Measure

(BY GEORGE II MANNING)
(Special to The Bee)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 31.—An amendment to the Federal Reserve act, passed by the Senate yesterday, making notes, drafts and bills of exchange of cotton factors and factors who make advances exclusively to producers of staple agricultural products in their raw state, eligible for discount in Federal Reserve Banks, is of great importance in and around Norfolk and Richmond to factors and banks handling their paper

Senator Claude A. Swanson of Virginia took the floor in the Senate to urge adoption of the amendment which was offered by Senator McKellar of Tennessee and to explain the proposition.

Senator Swanson pointed out during the debate that the retusal of the Richmond Federal Reserve Bank and other banks to discount the notes, drafts and bills of exchange of the cotton factors had seriously injured the export cotton business of Norfolk.

The amendment was approved by the Federal Reserve Board and the Treasury Department and was drafted by W. P G. Harding, governor of the Reserve Board.

Senator Swanson explained to the Senate that the Norfolk banks were willing to discount the factors' paper but that the Richmond Federal Reserve Bank would not rediscount it. He had appeared before the Federal Reserv Board and also before the board's attorney, he said, and it was a very forced construction of the law that held that the paper was not eligible for discount.

Planters Warehouse To Be Closed Today

The Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Marketing Association today closed down Planters Warehouse which has been used as a receiving point. Henceforth farmers will make their deliveries to Producers Warehouse which will continue to operate until the end of the season. The attaches at Farmers Warehouse will be used, it is understood, in different market towns of this state where there is a demand for additional assistance. Some of them probably will go to Richmond to assist in the heavy work at headquarters.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Deeds of bargain and sale recorded in the clerk's office of the corporation court show the following transactions:

W. F. Hurdle from James Bustard, 41 feet, 4 inches, on Grove street. Consideration, $7,500.

Lilly Smith from Anna U. Berman 75 feet on Broad street. Consideration, $11,000

Hero in the War Forger Since 1919

Capt. Hammond, Son of Cornell Professor, Now Held for Mail Swindle—Trapped at His Club.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Donald Hammond, twenty-eight, Captain in the Royal Flying Corps during the war and wounded several times in action, was before United States Commissioner Hitchcock yesterday on a charge of using the mails to defraud. Held in $10,000 bail, he was committed to the Tombs.

Hammond, the son of Prof. William S. Hammond of Cornell University, was sentenced to Sing Sing in 1919 for forgery, the records show. Gov. Miller ordered his release in 1921. Professor Hammond undertaking to send the young man to an asylum, calling him demented because of war injuries.

Postal inspectors assert Hammond telephoned the Columbia Trust Company January 22, representing himself to be C. A. C. Christiancy, a depositor, and ordering delivery of $4,500 Liberty bonds at the Beta Theta Pi Club, in East 40th street.

When the bonds were delivered, it is alleged, Hammond signed for them. Bank officials later declared the name "Christiancy" is a forgery.

On Saturday, the complaint says, Hammond again telephoned the bank, ordering more bonds delivered to the same address. Postal inspectors arranged a dummy package and arrested Hammond as he signed for it at the club.

In June, 1918, Hammond figured in a romance that lost London talking. Charging he had "left her at the church," Teddy O'Neale, an actress, obtained a verdict of $2,000 for breach of promise.

In December, 1918, Hammond appeared in Syracuse, N. Y. State troopers arrested him at the Hotel Onondaga Dec. 6, on the charge of impersonating an officer. Proving his army papers were in trunks at the Waldorf-Astoria, Hammond admitted owing hotel bills and said the London escapade cost him several thousand dollars.

Sent on to New York, the young man was sentenced by Judge Washams in General Sessions to serve from three and a half to seven years in State Prison for violating parole. He had been on probation since August, 1919, it developed, when he pleaded guilty of forging the name of Norman Bradford, a Newport millionaire, to a check for $2,000.

While on probation, the police discovered, Hammond had figured in forgeries in Atlantic City, Boston, in Maine, New Hamshire and in Canada. His visit to Canada amounted to deportation in the hope of getting him away from temptation. He left Canada of his own accord, however, and went to Boston, where he was arrested for stealing $15,000 bonds. Telling a piteous story, he was released on suspended sentence.

Famous-Lasky Keeps Own Ban on Arbuckle Despite Hays' 'Pardon'

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—All speculation as to intentions of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation in regard to further exhibition of pictures in which their former star, Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle, appears may now be laid at rest. The directors of the Famous Players Company at a private meeting last week reaffirmed the decision of last April to cancel any further Arbuckle films.

The action of the company that employed Arbuckle and brought him to fame as a comedian is, according to an authority in the organization, "the end of Arbuckle, so far as pictures are concerned, as we see it." It is considered that if his own company does not deem it prudent to release photoplays in which he appears, no company will attempt it despite his "pardon" by Will Hays.

The Famous Players Company now has in its storeroom three comedies in which Arbuckle is the star. They will be held there, it was said, and not sold or turned over to any other concern for exhibition.

Dr. Campbell Resigns As Pastor in Roanoke

ROANOKE, Jan. 30.—Dr. W. C. Campbell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church here for almost 12 years announced to his congregation Sunday that after much thought, consideration and heart-ache he had decided to hand in his resignation to take effect sometime the latter part of the year. This announcement came as a surprise to the congregation of the church, though it has been rumored among the members of the church for sometime that Dr. Campbell anticipated resigning

Dr. Campbell had all of the officers at his home for supper on the night of January 2, last, and it was at this supper that he told the officers of the church his plans and that he wanted to hand in his resignation. Due to the meeting of the church and several other reasons it was deemed unwise to announce the resignation at that time, according to information received from one of the deacons of the church.

MUSTAPHA KEMAL WEDS

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 30.—It is reported that Mustapha Kemal Pasha, Turkish Nationalist leader was married today to the daughter of a rich Turkish merchant of Smyrna, Mouameron Chaki Bey. Mustapha Kemal's bride is said to have brought him a dowry of 1,000,000 Turkish liras.

Order Railroads To Resume Sale Of Mileage Books

Re-establishment of Practice of Selling Interchangeable Books, Abandoned During War Ordered Resumed.

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Railways were ordered today by the Interstate Commerce Commission to resume the practise of selling interchangable mileage books, good for 2,500 miles of travel at reductions of 20 per cent. from regular rates.

Sale of the book must begin March 15, the commission decided. A number of small railways were excluded from the requirement of the order because of their financial inability to meet the reduction. Practically all of the Class I roads must establish the reduction. Reestablishment of the system abandoned during the war resulted from passage of a bill introduced by Senator Watson, Republican, Indiana, which directed railways to again issue interchangeable books subject to determination by the Interstate Commerce Commission as to whether there should be a cut in rates. Commercial travellers were especially active in urging that the mileage book privilege be restored to those who travel extensively in their business. The commission noted that the general business opinion was that the reduction would result in a greater number of salesmen going out on the road and an increase in the amount of travel by those engaged as salesmen. The sale of the books will be open to all who want them.

Government To Run a Camp In Carolina

(By The Associated Press)

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 31.—"Elaborate plans are underway for the continuance of the government summer camps for young men to receive military training," Captain Donovan Yeuell, acting C. M. T. C. officer of the Fourth Corps Area, which includes the states of Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee, has advised officials in this state, Adjutant General J. Van B. Metts announced today.

"According to present plans, camps are to be held this year at Camp McClellan, Ala., Fort Barrancas, Fla., and Fort Bragg, N. C.," it was stated. "The branches of instruction offered may be slightly different from those of last year, but in the main will be in the same branches, which include infantry, cavalry, field artillery, engineers and coast artillery.

"The courses offered include a basic Red Course, which gives fundamental training, but does not instruct in any particular branch of the service; advanced Red Course, which gives basic instruction in branches desired; White course, (for which graduates of last year's Red Course who were certified as eligible for admission to White Course are qualified) fits students to be non-commissioned officers in the organized reserves of the national guard; and the Blue Course, (for which graduates of last year's White Course who were certified as eligible for admission to Blue Course are qualified if of proper age and posses necessary educational qualifications) which fits candidates for commissions in the Officers Reserve Corps."

Approximately three thousand men received outings at the government's expense last year, it was stated. The North Carolina National Guard, said General Metts, made an "excellent record" at the regular summer encampment for national guardsmen.

Cars Must Have 1923 Licenses

The police department and state license inspectors will tomorrow begin enforcing the automobile law, especially that provision relating to license tags. The police have given the local owners of cars a full month in which to comply with the law and drivers of machines bearing 1922 license tags will be caused after today to show evidences of having sought their 1923 tags.

Youth, Drug Addict Tries To End Life

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—George E. P. Roth, 18-year-old high school senior is in a hospital said to be near death from a bullet wound self-inflicted because, he told his father, he had formed a drug habit which had forced him from school and denied him the privilege of graduating with the rest of his class. He told his father he bought the drugs from a youth outside the school who peddled to boys and girls. Police at once started search for the peddler. Armed with his father's revolver, he told how he went from home to kill the dope peddler, "that had started me out and then I intended to kill myself." But he did not find the peddler and shot himself today.

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DEATH OF MRS. MARY SHELTON

Mrs. Mary A. Shelton, widow of T. ?. Shelton, died at her home near Ook Hill, Va., Panuary 12, after an illness of several months of paralysis and in her 82nd year. The deceased had been identified with the Methodist church at Brosville since early girlhood and had lived a conscientious Christian life.

Three daughters survive: Mrs. W. S. Moore and Mrs. A. F. Griffith, of Wenonda, Va., and Mrs. J. B. Shumate, of Reidsville, N. C. She had a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

On Saturday, the 18th, her body was interred in the family burial ground beside that of her husband who had died thirty years before. The Rev. Mr. Clark conducted the services. Many friends and neighbors sent floral offerings.

—Frank Owens who has been a patient at the General Hospital has been removed to his home on Wyllie Ave., greatly improved.

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HIGH SCHOOL DECLAMATION CONTEST FEB. 22

February 22 has been set as the date for the seventh annual High and Prep School Declamation Contest in Richmond and plans are being made for entries from at least thirty schools in the state. Professor H. B. Handy of the English department of the University of Richmond, who has had charge of the annual affair since its beginning, will direct the plans for the contest again this year.

The director of the Virginia Interscholastic Publication Conference considering the contest a definite task for prep and high schools publications is suggesting that articles on this subject be written for the dual purpose of publicity and as one of the articles entered in the competition for the Virginia Press Association gold cup—to be awarded the best prep publication in the state. A large number of entries is especially desired so that the winner may be the best prep declaimer in Virginia and not merely the best of a limited number of schools.

SHOALS SOON TO BE MARKED

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30—Natuckett Shoals, off the Massachusetts south coasts, one of the most important light ship stations in the world and the point where many an incoming traveller gets his first glimpse of America, will be marked within a few months by the last word is light vessels.

One of the new lightships under construction at Bath Maine, will replace the present ship on Nantucket South Shoals. It will have a radio fog signal to warn ships which pass, will be equipped with electric signal lights, and will have an oscillator in place of a submarine bell for use during fogs. The new vessel will be fully equipped for radio communication

ANOTHER NAME TO MURDER LIST

(BY The Associated Press)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 30.—Lughi Vitellaro's name was today added to Birmingham's axe murder list. He died from injuries received a week ago when he and his wife were set upon in their little shop by a per- Vitellaro died two days after the asson using a heavy chopping axe. Mrs. sault

Twelve of 28 persons similarly attacked have died from injuries received

He calmly gave a detailed account of his career of crime, naming ten individuals and stores whose proprietors he had held up. He will be given a preliminary hearing in juvenile court Friday morning

SECOND MODIFIED PLAN ILLEGAL SAYS COURT

(By The Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 30.—The second modified plan for the dissolution of the combination maintained by the Reading Company which was declared illegal by the United States Supreme Court in April 1920, was filed in the United States District Court today

It provides for dividing the liability of the Reading Company, the holding corporation of all of the Reading's interests, with the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company in the proportion of two-thirds to the holding company and one-third to the coal company.

UNUSUALLY CLEVER COMEDY

Wintz production of "Eve" Features Johnny Getz and Nyra Brown

A splendid audience and one which managed to arrive and be seated before the first curtain rose witnessed or heard and enjoyed what is programmed as "a musi-girl comedy" in two acts and seven scenes entitled "Eve." Really the show is of the burlesque type, but it abounds in girls, songs, dances and unusually fine comedy, that of Johnny Getz as "Adam." The beauty and brilliancy of the costuming, the novel and beautiful light effects and the colorful beauty of the stage settings and personnel combine to make the show go with an audience. In many respects it might be described as a good vaudeville show with choral accompaniment and plenty of dances and drills.

As a singing performance, high praise can hardly be given the George Wintz production, for aside from Miss Brown who is starred as "Eve," and four male singers the other voices are the familiar and typical vaudeville voices in which hardly a clear soprano note is heard. As a spectacle the show is admirable, but the thing that makes it "go" is the unusually clever comedy of Johnny Getz in his varied make-ups and his droll, comical individual acts and really funny monologue. It is rare that a more effective comedian is seen or heard in this city than Mr. Getz. His monkey impersonation is a masterpiece and one which must be seen to be appreciated. One might easily fancy that the actor had accompanied Professor Gardner during the years of study he made of the simian in the African jungles, for he can imitate every movement and mannerism of the monkey and his facial make-up accentuates the simian suggestion. Miss Brown sings well, dances cleverly and meets all requirements in the handling of her lines in the varied requirements of the role.

Among the noteworthy dancers in the show is Aubrey Allbright, who, like the late Doc Quigley, has "comedy legs" and who does many of the eccentric steps that made Quigley famous in his prime as a dancing comedian. His eccentric dance in the first act was excellently done.

The scenic and lighting effects contribute notably to the interest and enjoyment of the performance. The first setting portraying a sylvan Gypsy camp in California, is attractive, but the settings for the second act and the novel light and color effects, particularly in what is programmed as the "Wonder fountains of Tangiers" are remarkably fine and beautiful. The black radium ballet is an unique and beautiful effect, while in the glow-worm dance Miss Brown, aided by electrical bulbs, gave an interesting light and color effect which while not entirely novel, is unusually pretty. In another dance she wears a balloon costume and after dancing a bit she created great merriment in the audience by releasing the toy balloons and setting the spectators to slapping these up and around or trying to capture them.

The costumes are fresh, varied and beautiful and the girls in the chorus uniform in height and without extremes of physique are in some instances notably pretty. Not so much can be said for the male principals in the show, however, who include a male quartette which sang very well and adding several topical songs.

Last but not least was in age and stature was Baby Richards, a tiny tot who danced with unusual cleverness and rare grace. She was one of the hits of the evening.

Peril Threatens Civilization

BY ROY GIBBONS
(Special to The Bee)

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—"Civilization today faces a peril, far more insidious than any wastage of the body by disease—we are becoming a world of crazy nerves."

Professor Frederick Starr, head of the department of anthropiligy of the University of Chicago an dthe greatest living anthropologist, made this statement here today.

This disease, too new to have a name, is far more insidious than any of the ancient plagues that once destroyed whole nations.

And we are all suffering from it, according to Professor Starr.

His Blasted Empires.

Professor Starr, commenting upon a subject raised at the recent cambridge (Mass.(session of the American Association for the Advancement of Science—the theory that the old Greeks, Aztecs and others lost their empires not because of human invasion or conquest but because of disease, introduced in some cases by the victims they had conquered, said:

"Plagues and pestilences of the old type no longer menace civilization. Science has made it impossible for them today to destroy whole nations.

"But we face an even greater peril today."

Then the great anthropologist gave me this description of the new malady he believes has afflicted the whole race.

Its Causes.

"Everyone is trying to do something different. We are in a turmoil, jumping, running, careening, not knowing where to go.

"We do everything fast We telephone needlessly, thus putting up a bar to effective friendships and frustrating the ordinary civilities of human relationships

"We are all much too uselessly busy.

"People run about in endless circles. There is lack of stability.

Its Symptoms.

"Our minds have reached a stage bordering on almost complete neurosis.

"We are in the midst of a horrible unrest, which, in the guise o freligious zeal, commercial greed of lust for power and conquest, is tearing whole peoples away from the customs and traditions of their countries

"Minds are running riot. New schemes of government are being tested.

Its Eecets.

"We are nearing a racial nervous breakdown.

"Effects of this neurotic psychological disturbance are seen in the symptoms of present-day disease. Ailments which 50 years ago were simple of diagnosis now bear no symptoms of their real character.





PROFESSOR FREDERICK STARR

"The diabetic once wasted away. Today he dies in a state of corpulence.

"And so it goes down the calendar of all ailments. The age is changing everything. This is the result of disturbed minds.

"At the rate we're going, it is only a matter of time before our present mode of civilization causes the race to degenerate in such a manner that we shall be without hair, fingernails of teeth. These are going now.

"And if these effects of nervous breakdown are visible in the physical make-up of people, how must their minds be affected?"

About One Hundred Delegates Here For Council Meet

(Continued From Page One)

He acts in the absence of these ministers administering the Communion and keeping the congregations together until provision can be made for them He reviewed his work, explained the duties incumbent on him and gave an illuminating address punctuated here and there by statistics. Referring to the Council meeting he said that it afforded the ministry and churchmen an opportunity of seeing what the unit of the church is doing and gave them a broader view of church work than is possible in any one parish. The church government was likened to that of the State with the bishop compared to the governor, the executive board to the governor's staff and the Council to the state legislature which ordains the laws which shall govern the church body. He referred to the bishop as a man to whom the church owed a great deal, as 'the father of missionaries' and as a benediction to the diocese. In the thirty counties embraced by the diocese, Archdeacon Ribble said, there are fifty organized parishes and four unorganized. There are seventy cures with an insufficient number of priests and deacons to supply them. The total number of communicants in the diocese was given as 14,000. While the church was originally founded in this country on the shore of the James, the church, Mr. Ribble asserted, has not seemed to thrive as it has in the lowlands, or on the coast. The strength of the church in the east far outweighs that of the west. Out of the thirty counties, eight of them have no resident episcopal minister, a condition which, the speaker asserted, was in need of correction During the past year three deacons have been put in the field and each one is covering two counties. Generally speaking the churches are stronger in the larger cities and there are many churches in the smaller towns and villages which are self supporting. The archdeacon stressed the necessity of missionary work in the cities and he pointed out that it was not only in the rural sections that presented a fertile field of church endeavor. The diocesan board of missions was paid a high tribute for its work and it was brought to the attention of the delegates that some twenty-five or thirty ministers are receiving all, or part of their stipend from the board, thereby making possible the maintenance of these churches which otherwise could not subsist.

Archdeacon Ribble recalled the church institutions which are promoting the work of the church. There is the Boy's School at Covington, Stuart Hall at Staunton and the Theological Seminary at Alexandria. Referring to the latter institution Mr. Ribble said that young men had been turned away because of the lack of facilities there. This shortcoming is now being rectified as the Virginia diocese has pledged a sum of money payable in three years which will permit the building of a new dormitory sufficient to take care of the needs of the Seminary for many years to come and thereby increasing its scope of usefulness. He also referred to Dabney House in Pittsylvania county, Chatham Episcopal Institute at Chatham which was deeded to the diocese by the late Dr. C. O. Pruden to whom a handsome reference was made, and finally Purdy's school the latest addition to diocesan institutions.

Archdeacon Ribble made a plea for larger support of the Diocesan Record of which he is editor. He referred to the action of the church at Farmville where the vestry has underwritten subscriptions making it possible for the church paper to be sent to the home of every church member. The speaker in describing the method whereby these various centres of education exist referred to the budget plan and the urgent necessity of the various churches responding to the appeal for funds needed that they may live up to their traditions.

BOY BANDIT PENITENT

(By The Associated Press)

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 30.—Subdued, penitent, tired of relentless police pursuit, Norfolk's boy bandit told his story tonight and went to sleep in a cell. His name was entered on the police blotter as Benjamin Liverman and his age 17 years.

Would Consolidate Diploma Tic and

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30—Reorganization of the diplomatic and consular activities of the United States into one interchangeable foreign service organization as sought by Secretary Hughes was approved today by the House Foreign Affairs Committee, which reported the Rogers Bill providing for consolidation of the two branches.

Complete interchange of personnel a single revised salary scale, extra allowances to representatives at foreign capitals, thus eliminating the necessity of large private means for diplomatic offices and extension of the civil service are among the provisions of the bill.

Increases in salaries would be authorized for many posts, chiefly for secretaries and lower officers, but the compensation of ministers and ambassadors would not be changed. Secretaries would be given salary increases from the present $8,000 to $9,000.

Pointing out the necessity for additional allowances at diplomatic posts, the report of the committee said it was "deplorable that by denial of adequate compensation, the United States, the greatest democracy now restricts the admission to the office of secretary in the diplomatic service to the members of a small circle of society, who are willing to provide from their private fortunes for the support of their positions abroad"

"However, much ability the men so chosen may possess," the report declared "and without detracting in any degree from the excellent services many of them have rendered, the fact remains that the mode of selection is undemocratic and unworthy of this country. Not only does it make unavaliable to the government a large body of capable young men of education but without private fortune, but it results in the two branches of the service being kept rigidly apart and discourages sympathetic cooperation."

"It is notorious" the report said in discussing failure of the government to provide money for entertainment by its foreign representatives, "that the United States has never paid its ambassadors and ministers at the large capitals salaries on which it was possible for them to live. The failure to make reasonable allowances for entertainment leaves a choice of two evils the sacrific of the public interest or the restriction of appointment to men of wealth willing to provide from their own fortunes for the support of their positions.

Former Ambassador John W Davis, who represented the United States at London during the war, was quoted by the commission as having said of his experiences

"It was eminently a time for conservatism and quiet, but with all that, living as I was modestly counting the expenses of myself and family, it cost me roughly three times my salary every year I was there, between $50,000 and $60,000 I do not believe that anybody could possibly have done it decently with any less expenditure than that."

The report dealt extensively with the testimony of Secretary Hughes to urge the consolidation for the sake of efficiency in the foreign service. The secretary said that under such a reorganization it would be possible to place men where they could perform the most useful service, regardless of whether the post was diplomatic or consular in its functions. The committee estimated the added cost of the plan at $370,000 a year.



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LIONS CLUB TO MEET AT 1 P. M. AT THE BURTON

The Danville Lions Club will gather today at 1 p. m. at the Burton for its bi-weekly meeting and luncheon. The doctors have the program in charge today and it is presumed that they will give the members some excellent advise on how to prevent and cure the flu—and—it is devoutly hoped by most of the members that they will have some of the usual medicine on hand to administer.

MAYOR DADE OF MER ROUGE MUST LEAVE—WARNED

(BY The Associated Press)

MONROE, La., Jan. 30.—Robert L. Dade, mayor of Mer Rouge, La., who testified at the state's investigation at Bastrop into Masked band activities in Morehouse Parish which closed last week, made public a letter he had received today warning him unless he left Mer Rouge within ten days he would be killed

The letter dated January 28 believed to have been mailed at Hot Springs Ark., has been forwarded by the mayor to Governor Parker and will later be turned over to Attorney General Coco for investigation it was said. Insulting epithetts and statements of a derogatory nature made up the greater part of the letter, Mr. Dade said.

The letter read in part follows:

Dear Sir:

"You are hereby notified to pack up and get out within ten days of receipts of this notice. You have never been any good as a man or as a citizen Use your own judgment and either leave or become a corpse.

(Signed) "Law abiding"

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FRENCH LABOR OPPOSES GOVERNMENT'S COURSE

(By The Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 30.—The French Federation of Labor, at the opening today of its annual meeting, with 600 delegates in attendance, voted a resolution protesting against the "repressive measures imprisonment and arbitrary searches" in the Ruhr.

The federation demands the release of those held prisone rby the French authorities, and sends greetings "to the Ruhr workers, upon whom military force is being imposed to compell them to work."



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The present business condition is a challenge to every business that is built on the uncertain foundation of a demand due to a favorite state of the market. Assuming that the strong demand of the past few years, prior to 1920, was a permanent thing, many manufacturers made provisions to supply the demand and reap a harvest of profits; but they overlooked the importance of insuring their share of the demand.

Now the great lesson has been learned—at a prodigious cost. The disposition today is to build strong, to make sure of the foundations before, to make sure of the foundations before rearing a great superstructure. In the long run it will mean that all business will be on a more solid basis, and less likely to be upset by changing conditions. This will be the great compensation for the stress of the present period.

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Sen. Glass Stands By Bank Committee

Conducts a Sharp Debate With Senator Heflin on Federal Reserve Act Amendment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—A breezy letter written by Mrs. Miles Poindexter wife of the Washington Senator, to a Seattle newspaper in which she sharply assails wives of the Cabinet officers for alleged petty graft at Government expense, has caused a storm in official society circles here.

The letter also reveals that the Poindexters and Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Denby are decidedly at "outs."

Bill Of Complaint.

Mrs. Poindexter, in an amazingly frank manner, complains because:

1. Wives of Cabinet officers go shopping in Government limousines.

2. Mrs. Denby can give "at homes" and have the famous Marine Band furnish music.

3. Secretary Denby took his family to the Orient last summer.

4. The War Department furnishes good-looking officers for functions given by the Secretary of War.

5. The Botanical Gardens furnish flowers for the house of Secretary of Agriculture Wallace.

Mrs. Poindexter says she cannot understand why Senators vote Government automobiles for Cabinet Officers and then deny them to themselves. Senators, she believes, need them more than secretaries.

Denby Specially Mentioned.

The Denby's were given "special mention," in the letter and, according ot society gossips, relations between Denby and Poindexter, who is acting chairman of the Senate Naval Affairs Committee, have not been very friendly since the former declined to make speeches for the Senator in the last campaign. Mrs. Poindexter's comments on Cabinet society are interesting because her husband is being boomed for Secretary of the Interior.

Mrs. Poindexter's Letter.

Mrs. Poindexter's letter in part, follows:

"This town is gay with Christmas decorations and if one happens to be on the street one can see all one's friends. Last week was one likely to run into Mrs. Coolidge or some of the Cabinet officers' wives loking pleasant for the camera man.

"Mrs. Davis, for instance, with three of her children, returning from a shopping trip. I think that she does not usually take her family out "by hand," as she is seen in the picture, because Uncle Sam is quite generous to the Secretaries and furnishes them with automobiles and drivers so they can go about most comfortably with no expense to themselves. I never could see how the Senators were so liberal with the Secretaries and so ungenerous with themselves."

"I believe there would be much more need for a Senator to be allowed an automobile than a Secretary, because the Senators are compelled to do so much departmental work, while a Secretary's work is all at his office, I suppose there is much real work in any of these offices, but if I were choosing I think I should ask to be made the Secretary of the Navy, because there seems to be so much that goes with it.

Points to Trip to Orient.

"An automobile with driver, the use of those fine small boats that go about in the waters near here, and the opportunity to take one's family on wonderful trips, such as the one that Secretary Denby and his family took to the Orient last summer, and besides all these things, when the Secretary's wife has her "days at home" she can have a band to furnish the music for her functions. The Agricultural Department furnishes flowers for the home of the Secretary of Agriculture for all occasions. The War Department furnishes the good-looking officers for functions given by the Secretary of War, and so on."

BYRD TELLS WOOLEY TO COME ON WITH HIS SUIT

WINCHESTER, Va. Jan. 30.—"I have nothing to retract and no apologies to make", declared State Senator H. F. Byrd this afternoon, commenting on a threatened one hundred thousand dollar libel suit by Robert W. Wooley, managing director of the Virginia Highway Contractors Ass'n. If Senator Byrd did not by February 5, retract certain statements published recently in opposition to a state bond issue for roads.

Mr. Wooley, who was formerly director of the mint and also member of the interstate commerce commission uttered his threat today, addressing the Virginia Good Roads Association at Roanoke. Senator Byrd's paper, the Winchester Star, asserts today that "Mr. Wooley is reported to be receiving a salary of fifteen thousand dollars yearly as president of the Road Contractors' Association. The position was first offered to George P. Coleman, until recently state highway commissioner. The Association was recently organized and it is reported virtually every contracting firm in Virginia is a member".

Senator Byrd said a few days ago in a published statement that "just at this time the Virginia public would be interested in a published list of contractors in the different organizations which appear so well financed in their efforts to impose bonds on Virginia tax-payers", and asked "what is the purpose of the Virginia Contractors Association recently organized and reported to be paying its president $15,000 annually?"

When informed of the threatened one hundred thousand libel suit Senator Byrd said, "I have nothing to retract and no apologies to make. I expect to continue to tell the people of Virginia the truth regarding the road situation without asking the permission of the Virginia Highway Contractors Association or the many kindred organizations which are joined together in the common purpose of forcing bond issues upon the Virginia people against the predominating sentiment of the state."

"I will not be coerced or muzzled by either threats or promises. I stand ready to defend all I have said both as a Senator of Virginia and as publisher of the Winchester Star.

"Mr. Wooley's wholesale threat to institute similar suits against all other newspapers in Virginia can have no other purpose except to muzzle the Virginia Press in the free discussion of the most important economic question ever submitted to the Virginia people."

Wooley Threatens Suit.

The statement of R. W. Wooley, in which he makes his threat against Byrd and Keezell follows:

The Winchester Star, owned and edited by State Senator Harry F. Byrd, and the Harrisonburg News Record, owned and edited by former State Senator George F. Keezell, now a member of the lower house of the General Assembly of Virginia, have from time to time charged that the Virginia Highway Contractors Association was formed for the purpose of compelling the State to pay high prices for roads, for dividing up territory and destroying competition. In other words that Virginia, because of this Association's existence is at the mercy of a monopoly. Furthermore that they have charged that the Virginia Goods Reads Association and the Virginia Highway Contractors Association are in collusion to force a bond issue upon an unwilling people, that the Highway Contractors have largely financed the bond issue campaign, and have broadly intimated that the Contractors' Managing Director was employed as an expert propagandist to aid in accomplishing the alleged purpose. These statements, so far as I can ascertain, were made and are being made without the slightest investigation as to the facts. They are simply based on a hypothesis wholly false and I hereby serve notice on the newspapers in question and their proprietors that unless by February 5th, there is a retraction of said charges, published as prominently is the original mistatements, suit for libel and damages in the sum of $100,000 each will be instituted against them.

Acting apparently on the assumption that the Winchester Star and the Harrisonburg News Record, had made certain before stating the charges that they were true, and thereby had followed the practice which is recognized among responsible journals as honorable, other Virginia papers have copied the false allegations in their news columns and commented upon them in their editorial columns to this Association's disparagement. If after the publication of the truth as set forth in the address which I have just had the honor to deliver, these charges or others reflecting upon the integrity or the good faith of the Virginia Highway Contractors Association appear in such newspapers, I promise that action similar to that to which the Winchester Star and the Harrisonburg News Record have made themselves liable awaits those newspapers also.

Stock Report

Stock List By Courtesy Thomson & McKinnon. Brokers. Southern Amusement Building, Danville. Va.

Atchison	100⅞
Anaconda Copper	47⅝
Allied Chemical & Dye	73½
Allis Chalmers	46⅛
Amer. Smelting & Refining	57
American Beet Sugar	36
American Locomotive	121⅞
American International	24⅜
American Linseed	30½
American Can	80½
American Sugar	76¼
American Woolen	95
Baldwin Locomotive	130¾
Bethlehem Steel "B"	61
Baltimore & Ohio	46⅞
Canadian Pacific	143
Coca Cola	75
Chandler Motors	67
Chesapeake & Ohio	74⅝
Cosden & Co.	53⅞
Corn Products	127¼
Continental Can	48½
Crucible Steel	71⅞
Cerro de Pasco	43
Chino Copper	24¾
Chile Copper	29
Cuba Cane Sugar	13⅛
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	34⅜
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	23⅝
do. pfd.	36½
Chicago & N. W.	81
Consolidated Textile	11⅛
Endicott-Johnson	88½
Erie	11½
Famous Players-Lasky	83⅞
General Motors	13⅞
General Asphalt	42⅝
Great Northern, pfd.	74½
Houston Oil	72
Hupp Motors	24
Hudson Motors	28½
Int. Mer. Marine	9½
International Paper	51
Illinois Central	112½
Kennecott Copper	36
Kelly-Springfield Tire	48
Missouri Pacific	16⅝
do pfd.	44½
Middle States Oil	11½
Midvale Steel	27¼
Marland Oil	23⅞
North American Co.	102
Northern Pacific	74¾
New York Central	94½
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	21¼
Pennsylvania	47
Pacific Oil	42¼
Peoples Gas	93¾
Pan-American Petroleum	86⅛
Pure Oil	27¼
Phillips Petroleum	50⅜
Pere Marquette	37⅝
Producers & Refrs.	46¾
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	42¾
Reading	77⅞
R. J. Reynolds "B"	55
Ray Consolidated	13⅝
Replogle Steel	25¼
Rep. Iron & Steel	47
Retail Stores	67¾
Sinclair Oil & Refining	31⅞
Southern Pacific	90¼
Studebaker Corporation	114
Standard Oil of Calif.	55¼
Sears Roebuck	84¾
Southern Railway	29¾
do. pfd.	67
Skelly Oil	19⅞
Sloss-Shef. Steel & Iron	47
Tobacco Products	56½
Tobacco Prod. "A"	78¾
Texas Co.	47⅞
Texas & Pacific	22
Texas Pac. C. & O.	24½
Union Pacific	137½
Utah Copper	62
United States Rubber	57½
United States Steel	104⅝
Vanadium Corp.	35⅛
Westinghouse Electric	61⅜
Wabash pfd. "A"	27⅞
Carbide	63

Sales to noon, 370,000 shares.

250 Men Are Trapped In Mine

(By The Associated Press)

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—Fire damp following an explosion has cut off 250 miners in a mine at Beuthen, Polish Silesia, says a despatch. Several bodies hav eboen recovered. There is little hope the message adds of saving the imprisoned miners.

TICKER TALK

(Courtesy Thomson & McKinnon.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Stude. directors meet today to act on dividend.

Steel and Tube of America announces preferred stock will be called at 110 on conclusion sale company's assets to Youngstown Sheet and Tube.

Interboro R. T. shows surplus $344,247 in December after allowing charges and Manhattan dividend as fixed in recently adopted re-adjustment plan.

British cabinet reported to have reached decision accepting without reservation proposal of U. S. funding commission as to terms of payment on British debt. White House expects early settlement.

Butte Copper and Zinc declares 50c dividend, first since 1917.

Third Ave. Ry. shows surplus $40,588 in December after charges tax and interest on adjustment income bonds. Six months surplus ended Dec. 31, $183,525.

Chief Turkish delegate at Lausanne after long conference with U. S. representative child, says he is destinctly more hopeful regarding situation at conference. Turks preparing counter suggestions to Allied draft treaty.

Indications vote will not be reached in Senate on ship subsidy bill at this session. Senator Brookhart, of Iowa, and others talking filibuster.

Representatives of Van Sweringen interests of Cleveland elected directors of C & O. and Hocking Valley roads.

Steel Corporation year 1922 earned surplus $39,768,031 equal to $2.85 a share on common, against $2.24 in 1921. For quarter ended December 31 last, company showed 97c a share on common, against 98c in preceding uarter and 21c in last uate 1921. Regular quarterly dividend declared on common and preferred.

Reading Company files plan differing from one approved by district court only in contemplating division of liabilities of Reading Company, with which will be merged with Reading Railway Co., and Reading Coal and Iron Co., amounting to $94,627,000 outstanding joint general mortgage bonds in proportion of two-thirds to Reading Co., and one-third to coal company.

New Haven reports net operating income for December of $659,748 decrease of $88,784 and for year $12,074,160 increase of $11,334,126 over year ago.

Boy Is Held For False Alarm

Claude White, a thirteen-year-old boy was taken into custody by the police this morning charged with turning in a false alarm from Box No. 126 at the corner of Bellevue and Claiborne street last Monday night shortly after nine o'clock. Police Detective Nelson Campell and Officers Foster Harris, E. F. Bragg and F. G. Towell had been at work on the case for the past day or two. White, who resides on Henry street was subjected to interrogation by the police detective wiht the other officers this morning and, according to their statement he finally made a confession, admitting that he had turned in the alarm in order to "see the excitement." Early this afternoon the boy was still at police headquarters being held for action by Judge Kerr Morehead Harris of the Juvenile Court. The boy by reason of his age comes within the scope of that court and Judge Harris will deal with him probably during the course of the week.

Officers received information which pointed to White as responsible for the fire alarm which brought out the Patton street and the Northside departments and following up this clue produced definite results

The identity of the person who rang another false alarm has not yet been discovered.

Haul Early Today Netted 30 Gallons

Federal and state prohibition agents, county and city police, numbering eight in all, headed by Prohibition Inspector W. T. Shelton, early this morning captured a Ford touring car containing 30 gallons of whisky, but the two men in the machine made their escape. The haul, which was made on the river road, was the result of information received by Inspector Shelton early this morning. About 3 o'clock he was informed that a load of whisky was coming into Danville by way of the Martinsville road. He called other officers and proceeded to a point on the river road to await the liquor car. It appeared in a short time, but instead of coming down the river road, came down a side road. The lights were cut off and the car proceeded slowly. Officers May and Pugh gave chase and ran the whisky car for about a mile and half when the machine was stopped and the two men abandoned it, making their escape.

Arrest Three On Liquor Charge

Three arrests were made yesterday by County Officer J. W. Pugh in connection with a haul recently which netted nearly 20 gallons of whisky and a Ford roadster. The men taken in custody were Roy and Dave Chatten and Oscar Farthing. They were taken to Chatham yesterday where they were given a hearing before Magistrate R. C. Collie, who bonded them under the sum of $500 for their appearance before the grand jury.

The whisky was captured several days ago about 30 miles from Danville in Pittsylvania county. The men on seeing that they were going to be caught, abandoned the machine, which was taken in charge by the officers.

TOBACCO FIGURES

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Stocks of leaf tobacco held by manufacturers and dealers on January 1st were smaller than a year ago, the quantity being 1,491,300,988 pounds compared with 1,561,848,732, a year ago and 1,457,439,314 on October 1st last. Chewing, smoking, snuff and export types totalled 1,068,041,784 pounds compared with 1,174,807,983 a year ago.

NOT SAME SAM JONES

Sam Jones, colored, who lives on Church street, Almagro, states that he is not the same "Sam Jones," fined several days in the police court for a whisky violation.

Asks Heart Balm



Mrs. Francis Dautel, 20, Cleveland, asks $250,000 damages in a suit against her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Dautel, whom she charges with alienating the affections of her husband, also 20. They were wed in 1921 when Dautel was a college student.

Mrs. T. B. Yarbrough Dies In Greensboro

News was received here this morning of the death at 2:33 a. m. today in a Greensboro hospital of Mrs. T. B. Yarbrough, who resided at 848 Paxton street, this city. She had been ill for about two months and was removed to the Greensboro hospital about a week ago. Besides her husband, deceased is survived by three children, Janette, Kathleen and Pearl.

The body will be sent to Danville this afternoon. The funeral arrangements have not been made and will be announced later.

NEW YORK COTTON.

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The cotton market was active and unsettled today because of easy Liverpool cables less favorable news from Manchester and the easier ruling of foreign exchange. The opening was steady at a decline of 18 to 30 points with May selling off to 27.85 and October to 25.33.

Cotton futures opened steady:

March	27.70
May	27.95
July	27.57
October	25.25

—Mrs. J. F. Davis has been called to Jacksonville, Fla., to attend her mother, Mrs W. A. Cary, who is seriously ill at that place.

Danville Flower Co. Is Damaged By Fire

Smoke did considerable damage in the premises occupied by the Danville Flower store in the Leeland block at eleven o'clock this morning. The fire started, apparently, among several bales of dried moss used in making floral designs and wreaths, these being kept in the rear of the store. Patton street apparatus was called by telephone to the scene and later, as the volume of smoke pouring out into Main street increased, the West End engine was called out. Water was played on the smouldering mass and chemicals also were used in subduing the fire which caused such dense smoke that firemen had difficulty in entering the store. Finally one of the upper front windows was opened and this gradually cleared the premises and the firemen lost no time in putting out the fire. There was comparatively no fire damage. Smoke, however, discolored the white fixtures, the walls and the ceiling.

The actual damage had not been estimated this afternoon but is was said that a good deal of fire damage had been done in the workroom in the rear. The fire, it was also later disclosed, did not originate in the bales of moss but started in some tissue paper. T. O. Moss, manager of the store had lit a cigarette when the head of the match flew off and fell into some tissue paper. This flared up and spread the fire to more paper and despite frantic efforts to stamp and beat it ou tit quickly reached the inflammable died moss which was at once ignited.

Two Are Named On City's Delegation

The Danville Rotarians have elected H. R. Fitzgerald and A. A. Booth to represent the local club on the delegation which it is proposed to send to Washington in the near future in pursuance of the plan of community action in summoning the president to apply divine principles in the conduct of affairs of state. The Lion's Club was the first to endorse the resolution which sets forth this principle The Rotarians, the Kiwanis and the Chamber of Commerce also have endorsed it and will name representatives on the committee which will be composed of representative citizens The movement is to take on new life next Sunday when the city ministers will preach on the subject the following day to be devoted to securing signatures from all parts of the city to the petition to be presented to the national executive.

In the meantime Senator Carter Glass is trying to arrange an audience with the president. The date of this has not been determined yet owing to the fact that the president who was confined to the White House for a week recently with an attack of influenza is still under pressure of official business.

Bond Issue Foes Massing Ranks

Bitterness Is Seen as Date of the Special Assembly Draws Near.

(Special to The Bee)

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 31.—Opponents of the bond issue bill are massing their forces in dead earnest against the plans of the bond people, and there will be an attack from another angle that means adding to the bitterness of the approaching session of the legislature. The bill to redistrict the State for members of the legislature must be enacted, or corrected, and as the cities are to be the large gainers at the expense of the rural districts in the realignment of representation, the delegates and senators from the rural sections are to fight the redistricting bill.

The cities are believed largely in favor of the bond bill, and if the redistricting bill is passed as it has been agreed it means a great addition to the strength of the cities in legislation. This might make it possible, in the event of failure of the bond bill at this session, for the cities to put the project across next winter, when all the members of both branches are to be chosen. For this reason the country people are planning, according to report, to defeat the redistricting bill and to make it impossible to enact any such bill.

"The ci people are largely for the bond issu but the country people are 100 pe cent. against it," said one of the best known men of Southwest Virginia, here yesterday on private business. He said that the meeting in Roanoke was a very enthusiastic road meeting, and that the delegates were much in earnest regarding their schemes.

Former Highway Commissioner Coleman launched a severe arraignment on Governor Trinkle, whom he cnarged with having shifted position because of the pressure made on him by State Senaor Byrd, Delegate Keezell and Delegate Ozlin. Mr. Coleman decl ed that Governor Trinkle had done more to muddy the road situation than any other man in Virginia, that his policy had been vacilating and that future political aspirations of men in office was a consideration.

The redistricting bill may prove to be the stumbling block and the means of defeating both propositions. The Republicans are understood to be now in favor of the bond issue, and in order to get more favorable consideration at the hands of the legislature they may demand additional members of the legislature—or the districts so arranged that they will be able to capture more members han in the past. The Republicans are in a position to dictate terms on the bond bill, and it remains to be seen if they will be able to have the legislative districts so arranged that it will be to their benefit.

Good Morning Judge!

Only three minor cases constituted the docket in the police court this morning, indicating that a lull existed yesterday and last night with the police. One drunk case was the only one disposed of, the usual fine being imposed.

Cases against Tom Trent, colored, for carrying a concealed weapon and against Ed Harris, colored, for violating the traffic ordinance, were continued.

"The Unkindest Cut Of All"

The latest Stradivarius story comes from South Boston and puts to shame all other interesting tales of the "discovery" of violins made by the Italian of the seventeenth century. With the list of "genuine" Cremona violins steadily swelling in this section of the country (notwithstanding the record of not more than 20 authentic Stradivarius violins in the whole world), a writer from the Halifax town, who forgot to sign his name, says that there has been found in South Boston a violin bearing the following inscription:

"Antonius Stradivarius Cremonensis,
Faciebat Anno 1734."

And then, (weep not students of musical lore)

"Made in Japan."

"It seems peculiar" says the harbinger of news from Halifax, "that this man could make as many violins in Cremona that the dates show for and still had time to go to Japan and make them there. Perhaps that was a branch office. This violin is of red color and is made up pretty good but is not in a condition to play now."

NEW YORK STOCK.

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Opening prices in the stock market were irregular. California Petroleum opened one and a quarter higher on overnight announcement of the declaration of an initial quarter dividend of $1.75. Selling of steel shares reflect speculative community disappointment over the earning statement of the United States Steel Corporation for the quarter of 1922.

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SALE OF MEN'S AND BOY'S SUITS, OVERCOATS, HEAVY UNDERWEAR, SWEATERS, WOOL HOSE, GLOVES AND HATS.

Considering market conditions we really think this the biggest value-giving sale in our experience.

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Up to and including $30.00.	From $32.50 to $37.50	From $40.00 to $55.00
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WINTER UNDERWEAR, SWEATERS, WOOL HOSE, GLOVES AND HATS AT 25% DISCOUNT

This Sale Is Strictly For Cash

Our reputation for satisfaction to the customer is behind every purchase

At present we are placing no time limit on this sale, but we expect to do an immense business during the next few days, and if you care to have a reasonable stock to select from, we would suggest early buying.

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Rabbi Says Coue Theory Not New

COLUMBUS, Ohio —Jan. 30.— Emile Coue's message is nothing new. His credo that man was made for health and not for disease, for happiness and not for misery, is simple the scriptural teaching that man was created in the image of God, said Rabbi Jacob Tarshish at Temple Israel, discussing, "The Truth Behind Coue."

"The nineteenth century was skeptical and scoffing of things religious. Voltaire, Diderot and Paine were read and believed. It was feared that minds of the future would be corrupted beyond power of spiritual thinking and mental advancement," continued Rabbi Tarshish:

"Today, strange to say, the pendulum has swung to the other extreme. The Christian Science faith and the New Thought movement have made great strides, as we realize that the possibilities of the mind are limited only by the personality of God Himself.

"I like Coue's message of optimism and positive thought. It justifies the ways of God to man. It helps to cast the devils of fear and despair and depression out of the heart. And he means not only better and better bodily, but spiritually mentally and morally, also.

"I do not preach against materia medica, and never shall but I insist that the mind needs as much doctorine as the body, nay, more."

PROHIS HURL A DEFIANCE AT ALL IN STATEMENT

(BY The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—"Defiance against the world, the world, the flesh and the devil; which we believe leagued against us in this contest" was uttered today by the Board of Directors of the Anti-Saloon League of pressing confidence in William H. Anderson, state superintendent of the league, whose alleged financial irregularities are under investigation by the District Attorney.

The board which held its meeting behind closed doors praised Mr. Anderson for the "wise and upright and courageous way in which he has conducted and managed the affairs of the Anti-Saloon League in this state.

When Joint-Ease Gets In—

Joint Agony Gets Out

If you want to take the pain and misery out of rheumatic joints or reduce the swelling—or limber up stiff creaky joints—then you want Joint-Ease—it's for the joints only—that's why it succeeds when ordinary remedies fail 60 cents a tube at druggists everywhere.—adv.

BEWARE THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON

Chronic coughs and persistent colds lead to serious lung trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with twofold action: it soothes and heals the inflammed membranes and kills the germ.

Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by the medical fraternity as the greatest healing agency for the treatment of chronic coughs and colds and other forms of throat and lung troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflammed membranes and stop the irritation while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood attacks the seat of the trouble and destroys the germs that lead to consumption.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of chronic coughs and colds, bronchial asthma bronchitis and other forms of throat and lung disease, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or the flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. Creomulsion Co., Atlanta, Ga.—

Kidney And Bladder Troubles Conquered Or Money Back

For 40 years, said Dr. Carey, I have been prescribing my Prescription No 777 (known for years as Marshroot) for kidney and bladder sickness and now that I have retired from active practice I have made arrangements with leading druggists to dispense this wonderful prescription at a moderate price, on the money back if dissatisfied plan.

Beware of kidney disease—thousands die of it every year who ought to be enjoying the blessings of life and health. Watch the symptoms. If you have specks floating before the eyes, puffy eyes, clammy feet or moist palms, backache or side ache, you ought to get a bottle of Dr. Carey's Prescription No. 777 right away.

It has wonderfully benefitted tens of thousands of cases of kidney, liver and bladder troubles and is the medicine you can always depend upon. Results are guaranteed.

NOTE—Dr. Joseph G Carey was a practicing physician for many years and his great Prescription, No. 777 aided thousands of sufferers from kidney and bladder troubles. Hereafter you can always get this effective prescription in both liquid and tablet form at all reliable pharmacists the country over.—adv.

FEEL CHILLY ALL THE TIME?

IT'S a warning of thin, impure blood and low vitality—when you feel chilly all the time and dread going out into the winter air.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan will increase your supply of pure rich blood, help you put on firm, healthy flesh, and build up your vigor and vitality. Then you will feel warm in the coldest weather, and be protected against coughs, colds and other winter ills.

You will find Gude's at your druggist's—both in liquid and tablet form.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan

Tonic and Blood Enricher

Another Canal Considered To Relieve Panama

BY HARRY L. ROGERS

WASHINGTON, Jan., 30.—Unprecedented increases in traffic through the Panama Canal are causing Administration officials to thing seriously of the possible necessity for a second trans-oceanic canal over the Nicaragua route.

During the month of November, 1922, for example, 1,426,860 cargo tons of shipping were transmitted through the canal, which compares with 446,773 cargo tons in the same month of 1914, the first year the canal was opened. The total amount of tolls collected in November, 1922, was $1,264,430, as compared with $374,910 in the same month of 1914.

For the last five months the canal business has shown a steady increase.

Traffic Growing

"A steady growth of the traffic through the Panama Canal to double, triple and quadruple its present volume can be confidently predicted, but there may well be years when for temporary causes growth a slight decline," Governor Harding of the Canal Zone, has stated in an official report to Secretary of War Weeks just made public.

Secretary Weeks himself has been studying traffic through the canal and is fully alive to possibilities.

"It is but the part of wisdom," Secretary Weeks declared, "to give some thought to suggestions that another canal may be necessary."

The present maximum capacity of the Panama Canal, Weeks said, is about 40 ships a day, when the canal is being operated on a 24-hour basis. The average during the month of November was about 10 a day, including Sundays. In considering possible necessity for a second waterway, however, account must be taken of the length of time necessary to construct a transoceanic canal, even after public sentiment is prepared and money appropriated.

Exactly 385 years elapsed from the time the first plan for a Panama Canal was drawn, in 1529, by Alvaro de Saavedra, companion of Balboa in the discovery of the Pacific, and the passage of the first ship through the canal in 1914.

Size Is Limited

Another factor is the size of vessels The super-dreadnaughts planned for the American Navy were to have been 105 feet in width. The locks of the Panama Canal are 110 feet wide, and it was believed that the great warships of the North Carolina class were the largest which in safety could be taken through the canal. This difficulty, however, apparntly has been obviated by the Washington Arms Conference agreements, which limit the warships of the future to 35,000 tons

With respect to merchant ships there is no such limitation. Some of the great Atlantic liners would have difficulty in getting through the canal, due to their length The locks of the Panama Canal are 1,000 feet in length and canal officials say they would not like to undertake the transit of a vessel longer than 900 feet. The liner Majestic is 956 feet long and 100 feet in width; the Leviathan, 950 feet long and 100 feet wide, while the Berengaria and the Olympic are respectively 898 and 883 feet in length.

Still another consideration is the depth of the canal. The minimum depth of 43 feet is regarded sufficient for normal conditions; but in case of a naval engagement, in which some of our larger warships were so damaged that they were lower in the water than ordinary, it might be impossible to get them through the canal, naval officers say.

SEEK TO SAVE ALA. FORESTS

(By The Associated Press)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan., 30.—Pleading for the passage of laws that will preserve Alabama's forests, several delegates of the fifth Southern Forestry Congress which is in session here, appeared before a joint session of the Alabama Legislature this afternoon.

J. G. Peters, representative of the United States Forestry Service of Washington, D. C.; M. L. Alexander, commission of conservation for the state of Louisiana and Henry E. Hardtner, Urania, La., were the speakers appearing before the legislature.

Today's session of the Congress were devoted to discussions of soft and hardwood in the South.

What's Going on in the World

WEEK'S CHIEF EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

Policy of Russia
Problem of the Ruhr
America's Position

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
(Special to The Bee)

ONE thing about the Russians! What they say, they mean.

Ever since the soviet regime began, it's puzzled the rest of the world by this trick.

Each time an issue's arisen between Petrograd or Moscow, and some other capital, the latter's diplomats, themselves full of lies, in the recognized diplomatic fashion, have expected the Russians to lie, too, which the Russians haven't done, thus fooling the negotiators who were opposed to them and getting themselves disliked very generally for their gross disregard of professional etiquette.

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RUSSIA STATES HER POSITION

So when the Moscow government announces its position toward the present European crisis, its statement is entitled to a good deal more respectful attention than a similar announcement would be entitled to from any other Old World capital.

Russia says she doesn't particularly want war, but isn't afraid, either. She says she thinks the rest of Europe is moving in the direction of another war, perhaps not right away, but most likely in the not very distant future. She says she thinks she could profit by such a war by going into it; she wouldn't do this, even for profit, if the belligerents would let her alone, but she's sure they wouldn't Consequently she's getting ready.

In the matter of the Ruhr, in a general way she says she's sorry for Germany, but certainly she can't do anything about it unless the Germans do, and she doesn't believe they're going to; some of them talk as if they were, but her impression is, they're bluffing.

She says she hadn't anything to do with the Memel affair and doesn't intend to attack Poland, but suspects that Poland means to attack her, in which case she'll give her her bellyful.

If any treaty's made putting the Straits of Constantinople, her sole means of entrance into and exit from the Black Sea, under the authority of the League of Nations or any other jurisdiction except her own, Russia says she won't recognize it.

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MOSUL DEADLOCK UNBROKEN

This remark relative to the Straits of Constantinople links up Russia's case with the dispute between Turkey and England, which the British consider more immediately threatening than even the Ruhr situation.

The Turkish envoys at Lausanne and Lord Curzon, the British representative, are deadlocked still, over control of the rich Turkish oil province of Mosul. Lord Curzon wants to submit the controversy to the League of Nations. The Turks, fearful of England's influence with the League, won't do this. They propose to let Mosul decide for itself, by a popular vote. The English, knowing the result would be Turkish, refuse this plebiscite proposition.

It's a deadlock which certainly would cause war but for one thing which may possibly prevent it—everybody knows that such a war, so far as England is concerned, would be a fight in behalf of British oil interests, and it's pretty doubtful if the London government will dare brave the anger of the masses of English people by engaging in it, whatever Lord Curzon may threaten.

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RUHR VENTURE'S STATUS

As a military enterprise, France's occupation of the Ruhr is a good deal of a success, but as a damage-collecting undertaking, up to date it's proved a flat fizzle. What the French are getting out of the Germans now, the former's own leaders admit, is less than they were getting before the invasion started.

French troops have succeeded in drawing a cordon all around the occupied district and cutting it off from the rest of Germany, but nearly everything's tied up by a strike.

Even if, by a plolonged stay, which is what they're prepared for, the French could accomplish something, will their own people wait that long? Thus far, the invasion's only an expense to them, not only in money out of pocket for their troops, but in disorganized business and in the depreciation of the franc in international money markets. Already people are wondering how long the present French cabinet will last, as public doubt increases concerning the wisdom of the Ruhr venture.

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THREAT OF CIVIL WAR

French sources hint at military preparations in the unoccupied part of Germany but this sounds like pure "propaganda."

Even if some such preparations have been made, there may be justification for them in the Germans' dissatisfaction with their own government over the invasion.

Conditions are most threatening in Bavaria, where the National Socialists—a queer name for royalists, but that's what they are—are talking openly of seceding from the rest of Germany and setting up their own royal house again.

The French, of course, would like this—may even be encouraging it.

Neither would anybody be surprised if the Rhenish provinces, where the French are, should start an independent republic.

Of course, the French would aim to make the Rhenish republic, if there should be one, serve their own purposes, and politically they might succeed, but it isn't at all clear that this would help them to collect their indemnities and reparations.

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OH, YES! WE COULD SETTLE IT

Germany has notified Italy and the Vatican that it won't consider any schemes looking toward mediation between herself and France unless they're under American leadership.

The trouble is there doesn't seem to be any scheme the United States can put forward with the slightest chance of success that doesn't involve her own assumption of reparations payment—under the euphonious name of cancellation of the war obligations Europe owes to her.

And a lot of Americans would object to this. However, there's no doubt it would end quite a few European difficulties.

HENRY STUART IS OPPOSED TO A BOND ISSUE

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Jan., 30.—The second annual convention of the Virginia Farm Bureau Federation was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning in the Masonic Temple by President Henry C. Stuart, of Elk Garden, who pointed out that the apparently small gathering of some 100 or more farmers represented an organization reaching into some forty Virginia counties and over 300 organized Farm Bureau communities, with a combined membership in the organization of some 10,000.

The invocation was by Dr. H. W. Battle, of the High Street Baptist Church, after which Secretary L. D Case, of the Chamber of Commerce, welcomed the farmers. The remainder of the morning session was largely given over to the organization of the convention.

James R. Howard Speaks

The principal address at the afternoon session was by James R. Howard, of Chicago, retiring president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, who spoke of the position the farmers finds himself in with reference to his limited purchasing power in commodity exchange. Mr. Howard stands out as one of the really big men in organized American agriculture He has served the national organization since its conception as president. During this thime the federation has grown from a membership of 800,000 to approximately 2,000,000, and reached into every State in the Union

At the afternoon session President Stuart presented the matter of the proposed issue of State bonds for he improvement of roads.

For Liberal Tax, Against Bonds

He presented the cold facts involved in the proposed issuance of road bonds to the amount of $12,000,000 and introduced discussion of the matter in a forceful manner as he expressed his personal attitude toward the proposition He declared his approval of an increase of tax to provide a liberal program for road improvement, compatible with husbanding the resources of the State, but emphatically announced his opposition to a bond issue

The first speaker of the question was D. H. Barger, of Montgomery County, vice-president of the federation, who spoke at considerable length as he reviewed the matter of road building for a number of years Mr. Barger evidenced a deep study of the question of financing the building and maintenance of modern roads, and familiarity with the expenditures of the State for numerous obligations, and consideration of these mateers compelled him to take a decided stand against a bond issue.

The president then asked for a roll call of the counties represented on the question and their response indicated a preponderance of sentiment in opposition to the issuance of bonds.

Other speakers in the afternoon were, W. M. Keplinger, of Chicago, representing the American Institute of Agriculture, and J. R. Myers, manager of the Roanoke County Farm Bureau: The former spoke on Training Men for Marketing" while the latter had for his topic, "The Farm Bureau Service Corporation."

GREAT BRITAIN WILL PAY DEBTS TO LAST PENNY

MONTREAL, Jan. 30. —"Great Britain will pay her debts to the United States, and pay them in full, but we are entitled to a bargain less exacting than that arranged during the war" said Sir Robert Horne, former chancellor of the British Etchequer at a joint meeting of the Canadian and Rotary Clubs today

"It must always be remembered" Sir Robert continued "that Great Britain did not get money for the loan obtained from the United States. This was represented for the most part by goods and war material. Not only did Britain leave the amount of the loan in cash in the United States, but the total amount of money spent there for equipment and the like by her exceeded the British debt to the United States by one billion dollars."

Referring to the refunding the British loan, Sir Robert pointed out that the rate of exchange was not now the same as when the debt was incurred. If a full return of the debt were made now, he reminded his audience, Great Britain would be paying more than she had originally received

GERMAN MARK GETS LOWER AND LOWER

(By The Associated Press)

BERLIN, Jan. 30—One ten-thousandth of its pre-war value was German mark's official rating on the Berlin Bourse today. There was a lively demand for dollars in the post-Bourse trading on a basis of 45,000 and actual offers of $50,000 flat.

IN WEAKNESS IS YOUR STRENGTH

So Says Mae Murray, Whose Failing for Dancing Brought Her Fame



MAE MURRAY In BROADWAY ROSE

"If you have a weakness for anything, you'll get it if you want it badly enough," says Mae Murray, star of "Broadway Rose," showing at the Broadway Theatre today. "That's been my motto, and to it I attributed my stage success.

"In my own case, I wanted to be a dramatic actress, I could dance well—I was in Ziegfeld's Follies for several years—but I never got an opportunity to do really emotional acting. So I capitalized my dancing ability, and it brought me to the place I wanted to reach finally. In fact, my screen debut came when I was a member of the 'Follies.'

This sounds unusual, but it's every bit true: In that production one of the novelties was a short motion picture interlude. The audience found itself gazing at another audience on the screen. Down the aisle of this picture theatre I came and walked up to the stage. The screen was then raised, and there I was in person on the regular stage of the New Amsterdam Theatre

"Although this really wasn't a picture, it served to introduce me to the methods of the silver sheet. Soon I received many offers to go into pictures, and I accepted what seemed the best one

"I still dance, as you know from my pictures, but I have realized my ambition to portray real people dramatically. In other words, my entering motion pictures has given me everything I desired, with no artistic sacrifice."

NOT GUILTY OF HAVING LIQUOR; MAY HAVE SOLD

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Jan., 30.—Can a man be not guilty of possessing liquor and yet the jury fail on whether or not he sold whiskey?

Can a man, in other words, sell liquor he really doesn't have?

Those are two legal jawbreakers resulting from a Federal jury's peculiar finding in the case of Walter Thoroughman, Sacket Harbor, N. Y., restaurant proprietor

The jury, after 12 hours' debate found the man guilty of possession and disagreeing on the sale of liquor count. This is the first time during the term of the Federal Court here that a verdict was returned.

Because of the novelty of the decision by the jury Judge Cooper discharged the restaurant man on the possession charge but held the prisoner for retrial on the other count. The date for the trial will be determined by the District Attorney. Thoroughman's bail was continued.

The restaurant owner was arrested last Fall in a raid by dry sleuths. They took four bottles of gin and some other evidences of booze. Thoroughman told the court that this had been left with a waiter by several soldiers who had promised to return for it. He denied any knowledge of it until he was arrested. One of the agents testified that he had bought a drink in the restaurant

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.— The Senate today confirmed the nominations of Robert Woods Bliss, of New York, now third assistant Secretary of State to be minister to Sweden; J Butler Wright of Wyoming to be third assistant Secretary of State; and Philip Eling of Kingston, N. Y., to be collector of customs of the port of New York.

COLONEL WATTS IN SANITARIUM

STATESVILLE, N. C., Jan., 30.—Colonel A. D. Watts, who resigned as Commissioner of Revenue late yesterday after a warrant had been issued by Raleigh police charging him with a statutory offense, arrived in Statesville this afternoon and is now a patient at a local sanitarium. His physician stated that Colonel Watts is suffering from nervous shock and a physical ailment of long standing.

JUDGE DIES AT DESK

NORWICH, N. Y., Jan., 30.—Special County Judge J. J. Fiaby, 59, fell from his chair at his desk here today and died before medical aid could be procured. Physicians pronounced death due to apoplexy.

The Morning Dish

Here's a morning dish that's luscious and effective. A food that doctors in great sanitariums prescribe for anemic, tired people.

Stewed Raisins

One package Sun-Maid Seedless Raisins, 1 slice orange or lemon rind, 2 cups cold water. Put raisins and water in saucepan and bring to boiling point. Add slice of orange or lemon and cook for 30 minutes.

Sun-Maid Raisins should cost you no more than the following prices:
Seeded (in 15 oz. blue pkge.)—20c
Seedless (in 15 oz. red pkge.)—18c
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CHANGE CROPS FOOL WEEVIL IS NEW PLAN

WADESBORO, N. C. Jan. 30.—Diversification in agricultural crops with the production of cotton in boll weevil sections under the latest approved methods, and close co-operation between business men of North Carolina cities and farmers of country districts, were urged by F. H. Jeter, editor of the State Agricultural Extension Service, in an address tonight at the annual dinner of the Wadesboro Chamber of Commerce.

The city is under obligations to the country, said Mr. Jeter, and must recognize that new life and new wealth an dmost of the crude materials needed in business and industry are created in the soil.

"There is no need for me to go extensively into the absolute dependance of the city upon its surrounding territory," he said. 'I have only to point out to you the difference in the prosperity of your town after the farmers have harvested a good crop for which they received a fair price against those periods where there has been practically a crop failure.

"Of all the times of the year, I think the fall or harvest time appeals to me most, because it is then that the farmers are bringing in their produce, debts are being paid, there is an air or industry and progres sthroughout the entire town and the people seem to be in better spirits than they are during the trying days of the spring and the long hot days of the summer. This is true especially when there has been a good crop year.

"You people concerned in the future prosperity of Anson county must consider what will happen if your farmers are entirely dependent on cotton and the boll weevil does the damage here I have seen it so in some cotton counties of Georgia and elsewhere.

JUDGE SANFORD LEAVES FOR D. C.

(By The Associated Press)

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan., 30.—Judge E. T. Sanford, left here today for Washington to make preliminary arrangements for taking up his duties on the bench of the Supreme Court of the United States as successor of Associate Justice Pitney, his appointment by President Harding was confirmed yesterday by the Senate.

Judge Sanford today relinquished his post as federal district judge in eastern Tennessee.



PRINCE ANDREW SEES ANOTHER WORLD WAR

(Special to The Bee)

BY ALEXANDER HERMAN.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Europe will soon be embroiled in another great war.

In the wake of the poverty and desolation of the last great conflict have arisen new hits and rivalries which have whetted the appetites for new strife.

And there can be no taying these until they have been satiated.

These are the views of Prince Andrew of Greece, soldier and statesman, brother of the late King Constantine.

"It's the greatest tragedy of history," he said in an exclusive interview with NEA Service. "Despite the terrible havoc wrought in the past eight years, the world will not learn.

"I don't know if it ever will.

"As long as one nation has the coal and another has the iron, and neither is good without the other, there will be continual conflict. Ten years it may smolder, only to flare up when the provocation arises

"Look at France and Germany—more embittered now than even in the hateful days of the seventies.

"The way out?

"A United States of Europe, perhaps—but that is hardly possible today. There is no foundation to work on. There are too many national differences, too many dessident groups under present conditions to be welded together.

"The whole problem seems to great for any human solution now."

Prince Andrew looked out of the window of his room in the Hotel Ambassador, Eight floors below Is Park Avenue, New York's most exclusive street. Day workers from the East Side were getting members of the Four Hundred out walking with their pedigreed dogs.

"Perhaps the solution lies there," the prince said wistfully "in a complete democratization of the world I hope so."

This from a man who comes from one of the world's most royal families, who is related to the leading monarchs of Europe!

Prince Andrew is a democratic in manner as he is in thought.

Dressed simply in sack coat soft collar and four-in-hand tie, he would be taken for an everyday business man if he didn't wear a monacle. He has no long retinue of followers at the hotel—just one man servant.



PRINCE ANDREW

His wife, Princess Alice, sister of Lord Mountbatten, is just as unostentatious

"Together" said the prince, "we hope to do a 'world tour' of this country. We want to see the whole United States—and we know that it's greater part lies beyond New York."

After a six-month trip they expect to return to London where their children have been going to school since Prince Andrew's banishment from Greece

"There is just one thing that I don't like about this land" Prince Andrew closed "I can't get accustomed to its telephone."



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LUSITANIA SUNK AS ACT OF WAR

(BY The Associated Press)

ALBAN, N. Y., Jan. 30. — The sinking of the Lusitania was an act of war, the court of appeals held today in deciding the case of the state of Alfred G. Vanderbilt against an insurance company. A clause of the policy held by Mr. Vanderbilt, who was drowned when the Lusitania went down, automatically nullified it in case death was caused by war. Today's verdict upheld the action of the insurance company in refusing to make payment on the policy.

WHITE SUSPECT IN DUAL MURDER

(By The Associated Press)

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan., 30.—Declaration by a police official that a white man regarded as a "possible suspect" likely would be in custody within a few hours gave the first promise tonight that a solution may be in prospect of the mystery surrounding the slaying in a Memphis suburb of Mrs. Ruth McElwain Tucker, formely of Bowling Green, Kentucky, and Duncan Waller, youthful Mayfield, Kentucky traveling salesman.

The bodies of Waller and Mrs. Tucker, the former 19-years-old and the latter twenty, were found with bullet wounds in their heads Sunday morning by a passing milk man.

CREW PICKED UP ALMOST DEAD

(By The Associated Press)

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 30—Exhausted from exposure and privation after the loss of their vessel, the shipwrecked crew of the four-masted bark National was picked up today off Cape Horn from small boats by the German Liner Cap Polonio, according to a wireless message from the steamer.

NEW YORK SENATE ADOPTS BILL FOR BEER AND WINE

ALBANY, Jan., 30.—The Senate by a vote of 27 to 17, tonight adopted the Walker resolution to memorialize Congress to modify the Volstead act so as to permit traffic in beer and wine. Two Republicans, Senatrs George R. Fearon, of Oneida, and James L. Whitley, of Monroe, voted with the Democratic majority.

In the Assembly, by a majoriaty of one vote, a similar resolution, sponsored by Minority Leader Charles D. Donohue, failed of adoption and was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

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THOUSANDS JAM BERLIN SQUARE TO PROTEST FRENCH INVASION



Dr. Friedrich von Lersner on platform in foreground is addressing acrowd of 200,000 which has gathered in front of the Reichstag building at Berlin to protest French occupation of the Ruhr Valey. The Bismarck statue, crowded with spectators, is shown in center

Rich Gems Found In Indian Mound

CHILLICOTHE, Ohio, Jan 30—Information that a necklace, valued at $15,000, containing 200 fresh-water pearls, was unreathed from the Hopewell Indian Mound, near Chillicothe, last summer has just been made public

Dr. W. C. Mills, Director of the Ohio State Archaeological Society, said: "This is the finest necklace ever found among the mound builders' relics" The gems are the property of the State. An offer of $15,000 for them was refused.

Several of the gems were polished and in perfect condition. The majority, however, were imperfect.

At the big Price Mound, near Bainbridge, another valuable find was made recently, when a ceremonial quartz spearhead, over 14 inches in length, was dug up. This is the largest spearhead ever found in Ohio. The valuable relic had been washed out of the mound onto the property of Mrs. Mary Wood. It is now in the possession of the State Archaeological Society.

A grand rush of mound openers is expected in this vicinity this spring and summer, due to the recent valuable finds.

RETURN BILL FOR REDRAFTING

(By The Associated Press)

RALEIGH, N. C, Jan 30—After hearing argument by proponents for the bill, the executive committee of the North Carolina General Assembly, sent a measure to provide for amendment of state laws to conform with the Volstead to a subcommittee for redrafting. The House passed a bill which will provide that juries may recommend mercy for offenders convicted of capital crimes, after an amendment had been accepted which will exempt the crimes of rape and first degree murder from the provisions of the bill.

BELGIAN SOCIALISTS TELEGRAPH BOUNTENY

BRUSSELS, Jan. 30.—The executive committee of the Belgian Socialist Party after discussing the Ruhr situation today decided to send a telegram to Premier Branting of Sweden asking him to bring the question before the Council of the League of Nations now in session in Paris.

WAGE SCALE SIGNED

(BY The Associated Press)

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 30—The Freeport Thick Vein Coal Operations' Association late today signed the scale submitted by the United Mine Workers for the year beginning April 1, next. It will affect about 10,000 miners in the Alleghany Valley with an annual capacity of approximately 8,000,000 tons. The Pittsburgh Coal producers' Association signed a similar scale yesterday.

MATZENAUR WINS DIVORCE FROM CHAUFFEUR HUSBAND

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan., 30.—Mme. Margaret Matzenauer, noted prima donna, was granted an intelocutory decree of divorce from Floyd Glotzbach, a chauffeur, by Supreme Court Judge Frank J. Murasky here today. The divorce was granted on the strength of Mmme Matzenauer's reply and cross-complaint to an action filed by Glotzbach some months ago. Each charged the other with cruelty.

RUNS INTO NEST OF STILLS AND FINDS SEVEN AND QUANTITY BEER

RICHMOND, Jan. 30.—H. C. Stultz, state prohibition agent, assisted by C. C. Greer, of Rocky Mount, Va., got into a nest of stills and brewing equipment in Franklin county last Wednesday and succeeded in breaking up seven location destroying stills, several hundred gallons of whisky and more than 10,000 gallons of beer.

The officers found that in many cases reports came in from sections of the country that moonshiners had stopped moonshining and gone into brewing, also that there appears to be a great demand for beer in that sections

The raids were conducted at Ferrum and Long Branch The largest yield of beer was turned up at Long Branch, on the property of Otha Bryant, where 5,000 gallons were destroyed, together with a large amount of brewing equipment.

On the farm of Jim Edwards, also at Long Branch, the officers found 2,400 gallons of beer and fifty gallons of whisky. The still was not inevidence

On the farm of Arthur Scott, at Ferrum the officers found a man named Shirley operating a 110-gallon still and nearly 120 gallons of whisky in addition to large containers of mash.

Nearby, on the farm of Charlie Boyd, the officers found 2,000 gallons of mash, and forty gallons of whisky, but no still

Hidden away in a lonely spot a few miles distant was the farm of J. H. Thomas, where the officers found 3,000 gallons fo mash, but no still.

More than 600 gallons of beer turned up when the officers searched the farm of Jim Bowling, at Ferrum, but, as in the case of Thomas, there was no still to be found or any brewing apparatus.

J. E. Montgomery's farm gave up a copper still of 100 gallons' capacity and 2 700 gallons of mash.

New Process Removes Lint

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan 30—A process of removing from cotton seed the short pieces of lint which adhere after cotton is ginned, so as to improve the seed for planting purposes has been discovered by Loren G. Polhamus of Bureau of Plant Industry and a public service patent has been granted at the request of the Department of Agriculture. The new process makes use of gaseous hydrochloric acid, and experiments are being conducted by Mr. Polhamus near San Diego, California to develop it on a scale that can be used generally for preparing seed for planting, and to determine whether the process can be used commercially on cotton seed in production of linter cotton.

No safe and practical process of chemically delinting large quantities of cotton seed has been developed but exposure of the dry seed to hydrochloric acid disintegrates the lint obviating the wetting, washing and drying the seed as is necessary in a suggested treatment with sulphuric acid. The thorough cleaning of the seed by the new process facilitates prompt germination which aids in securing full stands of cotton, and avoid clogging of plating machines.

NEW YORK SENATOR SICK. CHAMBER EVENLY DIVIDED

NEW YORK, Jan. Jan. 30.—State Senator Peter J. McGarry, of Queens, is suffering from gallstones and soon will undergo an operation. It was announced today at his home in Long Island city. The Senator started for Albany late yesterday afternoon, but became so ill he was taken home in an ambulance.

The absence of Senator McGarry from the Senate chamber at the Capitol will eliminate the Democratic majority of one in that body, which has 51 members, 25 of them Republicans. With the Senate thus equally divided, 25 to 25 the Democrats will have to depend upon Lieutenant Governor Lunn for a deciding vote in divisions along close party lines.

The Lieutenant Governor as presiding officer of the Senate, is permitted a "casting vote" in the event of a tie.

MINERS IN RUHR REJECT STRIKE PROPOSAL

(By The Associated Press)

LONDON, Jan. 30.— The Miners' Unions in the Ruhr Valley, says a Havas Dispatch from Duesseldorf, have unanimously rejected the proposal for a general strike, adopting instead a resolution protesting against nationalist intrigues.

Middle Class Hardest Hit By Mark's Decline

BY KARL M. FLISH

BERLIN, Jan., 30.—The chief sufferers from the tremendous increase in the cost of living that has occurred in the last four years have been the middle-class people with fixed incomes. As prices advance they have been slowly but surely driven to the wall.

An elderly maiden lady of Hanover, however, who inherited not only a modern competence but her father's business ability, has beaten the h. c. l so far by utilizing her last remaining piece of jewelry—a diamond and pearl necklace.

Finding herself at the end of her resources about a year and a half ago, she pawned the necklace for 30,000 marks. Three months later she borrowed 30,000 marks from a banker, redeemed the pledge and promptly pawned it again for 110,000 marks, repaid the bank loan and still had enough to live on for another six months, whereupon she borrowed 110,000 marks, got her necklace out of pawn and thereupon pawned it for 1,500,000 marks.

The explanation for this feat of financial wizardry is that the mark in the last year and a half has depreciated at a perfectly furious rate, with a corresponding increase in "money values." The elderly maiden lady only took a leaf out of the book of the speculators in foreign exchange, who, confident that the mark will fall, secure bank loans, buping dollars with the proceeds. Three months later, when the loan falls due, they sell enough dollars to repay the loan and still have a handsome profit left. It may have cost them 5,000 marks to buy a dollar, but when the loan falls due they can buy perhaps 8,000 marks with that dollar. And that's why foreign exchange dealers here are so common as soda clerks in the States.

Navy Sends Craft to Survey Cuban Gulf

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The Hannibal, with several auxiliary craft, has sailed for Cuban waters to continue surveying the Gulf of Batabano and the isle of Pines, Capt. F. B. Bassett, chief of the Hydrographic Office, announced tonight

The Hannibal had installed before sailing a sonic depth finder such as are used in studying the bottom of the Pacific Ocean to determine the cause and effect of earthquakes

Survey of this area is important to the navy on account of the naval base at Guantanamo.

LOVELY BEFORE BREAKFAST —THE SUPREME TEST

BY MARIAN HALE
(Special to The Bee)

GLADYS Cooper is heralded as the most beautiful actress in England.

I believe she is.

I saw her clad in a simple blue silk nightgown, her blond hair, with its natural wave, hanging loose about her exquisitely modeled shoulders.

She was propped up in bed, for I called early in the morning.

Yet, without make-up or artifice, she was one of the most perfect things I've ever seen.

First Hours Hardest.

The first hours are the hardest, as every woman knows. One who is beautiful before breakfast need not worry about the rest of the day.

Her secret? Hard work, country life, a youthful spirit!

She has played continuously in London for three years without a vacation, but she always lives in the country, is devoted to riding and hiking in the English fog, to rose gardens and to home cooking.

She believes city life ruins a woman's freshness.

"But why," she asks, "do you Americans concern yourselves so entirely with beauty of face? I find a woman's style, chic, personality, vivacity, the things she has cultivated for herself, infinitely more interesting.

Figure Most Important.

"A beautiful figure is more to be desired than a perfect profile.

"In France they judge a woman by her appearance from the tips of her toes to the top of head. I do that, instinctively. Faces don't interest me, aside from what they contribute to the whole effect."

Miss Cooper holds that plain women can cultivate beauty.

"I mean," she explains, "that beauty is merely the emphasizing of the distinctive things about one's self.

"To cultivate beauty, I should say, cultivate yourself and your mentality. Then progress along your own particular line. Distinction is bound to come.

All Can Excel.

"Have you noticed the differences in children? Some are lovely, individual, charming. Others are just plain, drab things. The drab ones could be just as beautiful is the others if someone took the pains to fix them up and cultivate them.

"That's all I see to beauty—or charm—or whatever it is that makes a woman admired—just the knowledge of how to find your type and bring yourself up init."

Miss Cooper came to America for just a week, in the hope of finding a play to take back to London for production.

Report Tobacco Raisers Jubilant

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 30.—Officials of the Tobacco Growers' Co-Operative Association who have just returned from the tobacco section, report that the growers are jubilant over the success of the association to date and that in many of the tobacco towns of the belt celebrations were held on the day the checks for the second payment were distributed last week.

In Halifax county the grower members received $800,000 as their share of the second advance. A third payment will be made to the growers within the near future, at a date which has not been set. Some of the growers report that the $18.80 per hundred, which they received for their tobacco to date in the two payments, is as much as they received for their entire crop last year.

This association is now the largest co-operative marketing association in the United States and its success is bound to have a most stimulating effect upon the co-operative movement in all parts of the country. It is expected that the membership of the Tobacco Growers' association, which is now about 80,000, will be increased to 100,000 within the coming season. The application of the tobacco growers of Georgia to be included in the Co-Operative association will be the subject of a special meeting of the directors to be held within the next few days.

"Waving Girl" To Be First To Greet Returning Boys

BY ANGUS PERKERSON

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan., 30.—When the Transport St. Mihiel, with the "army of occupation" from Germany on board, swings up the Savannah River about a week from today the first American greeting to the returning dough boys will originate with the "Waving Girl." From her unique home on the Island near the mouth of the river she will wave a greeting to the officers and men of the Eighth Infantry just as she has been waving similar welcomes to vessels for 36 years.

During that period she has greeted vessels in deference to a promise made to a lover who sailed away to the "Port of Missing Men." Then she was 17. Today she is 53. Her name is Florence Martus and she lives with her brother alone on this solitary Island near the Sea. They have no neighbors. They see nothing but the ships that come and go—ships from all parts of the world. Should the Transport head into the river at daylight the "Waving Girl" will greet it with a white handkerchief. If at night she will have a lantern. Today she told the skipper of a river boat that she was looking forward with deep interest to the arrival of St. Mihiel.

Sailor men from every quarter of the world know and love her. Curious and beautiful things from all corners of the earth are to be found in her little home, the gift of friendly mariners. At one time she had a Menagerie of queer animals brought to her by sailors and ship's officers.

Men of the sea have come to look upon her as their patroness who brings them good luck. There have been sailors who have deserted their ships just because she had failed to wave good-bye as they cleared. And every salute she gives is answered by the passing craft.

VIGILANTES ORGANIZE AGAINST LANDLORDS

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Jan. 30.—The Lodge of Vigilantes, similar to the Ku Klux Klan of America, has been organized here with the object of dealing with persons considered to be preying upon the community, according to the newspapers. The lodge was formed because of the alleged failure of the government to deal with profiteering landlords, with whom the organization proposes to deal first.

The lodge will be run along quasi-military lines with stringent oaths and rigid discipline. The organization claims a membership of fifty and the newspapers said that between 200 and 300 other persons are waiting to be sworn in.

HARVEY IS "DISCREETLY" SILENT ON DEBT FUNDING

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The American Ambassador, George Harvey, arrived in London this afternoon on his return from his visit to the United States. When questioned by newspaper men with regard to the British debt funding question, he maintained a discreet silence, professing to be out of touch with the developments owing to his eight days on the ocean.

The Ambassador was met at the station by members of the embassy staff.

Harvey, however, took occasion to say that Stanley Baldwin, Chancellor of the Exchequer, made a good impression in America, and asserted that man.

HIDES

SEATTLE, Jan. 30.— Packer hides have been well cleaned up in this market but demand is not yet up to normal. Steers are quoted at 13 1-2 cents fob Seattle with extremes a 14 cents

Divorce At Will Of Either Party Urged by Pastor

Dr. Holmes of Community Church Would Remove Bars Except Six Months' Delay.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—"Why should a person be punished throughout life for a single mistake?" the Rev. D. John Haynes Holmes of the Community Church asked yesterday in a sermon on "A Defense of Divorce."

"When either of the parties in the marital relation expresses a sincere wish to be freed from it," he continued, "nothing should hinder complete freedom.

"When I marry a young man and a young woman in my church I do not consider I am chaining them for life. The question of the love of each party, which is the only basis for true marriage, should present itself anew at the beginning of each day."

Dr. Holmes advocated that persons be engaged six months before marriage and that there be a trial period of six months between application for divorce and final decree.

"To any two persons who have passed through such a period," he continued, "and who desire a divorce at the end of it, neither State, church nor any other institution has a right to deny it."

Dr. Holmes criticised the Roman Catholic and Episcopal Churches for their stands on remarriage of divorced persons.

"A mere separation rids one party of the other," he went on, "but it does not provide for any marital relationship, upon which happiness is after all dependent.

He defended birth control and said: "Marriage is not limited to the means of creating children. It has two distinct aims. To give progeny is one, to maintain sanctified love is another. Neither aim should be lost sight of."

For an hour after the sermon Dr. Holmes was surrounded by persons eager to ask further opinions.

HOUSTON, Jan. 30.— Buying of dry goods from jobbers here continued today in far greater volume than last year in spite of the farming up of prices. Collections are fair.

TIRED, NERVOUS MOTHERS are the direct cause of much unhappiness in our homes: their condition irritates and wears upon the husband and often ruins a child's disposition. This condition of the mother is often due to some weakness which makes her entirely unfit to perform her household duties and bear the strain upon her nerves that governing children involves. Every woman who finds herself in this condition should remember that statistics prove that 98 out of every 100 women who suffer from female ills are helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and lose no time in giving it a fair trial.—adv.

WIFE HELPS ELECT HUBBY

"After having been in bed half the time for a year with severe pains in my right side over the appendix, stomach trouble and bloating, which th doctors seemed unable to reach with medicine and advised operation as the only remedy my nurse advised me to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, and its results have truly been wonderful as I am now entirely well and strong, and at the last election worked hard to elect my husband." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach and intestinal ailments including appendicitis One dose will convince of money refunded at J. C. McFall's Drug & Seed Store, and druggists everywhere.—adv.

PROBE OF MOB IS STILL GOING ON

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 30.—B. B Montague, former deputy sheriff of Woodruff County, was the only witness summoned to testify tonight before the Arkansas Legislature's committee investigating disorders at Harrison, Ark., and other points along the Missouri and North Arkansas Railway. He added little to the evidence already recorded. Mr. Montague said he knew nothing about depredations along the railroad except what he had read in the newspaper. He is a farmer and testified that he was not connected with the railroad or any labor organization.

W. D. Jackson, labor attorney said tonight that he would finished presenting witnesses for the strikers tomorrow night.

The date of departure of the committee for Harrison still was in doubt tonight.

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QUESTIONS And Bible Answers

Who should bless the Lord?
—Psalm 103:20-22.

If parents will encourage children to look up and memorize the Bible Answers, it will prove a priceless heritage to them in after years.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1923.

OUTDOOR LIFE.

If the boys you meet Feb. 8 seem to be raising more of a rumpus than usually, it'll be in celebration of an event very important to Young America.

The Boy Scouts movement was incorporated and officially launched in our country Feb. 8, 1910, two years after Robert S. S. Baden-Powell started the organization in England. The general purpose of the Boy Scouts is to train lads in good citizenship, manhood and self-reliance. Its founders displaying considerable knowledge of psychology, assured its success by adopting uniforms for the members.

Man or boy, let him wear a uniform and he'll do almost anything. Some of our big national movements that fail might be successful if an attractive uniform went with membership.

Few of us have an accurate idea of the values the young generation get from the Boy Scouts. A scout starts as a tenderfoot, then works up, by merit and ability, to second-class scout, finally to first-class.

To be a first-class scout, a boy has to be able to swim fifty yards. He most have at least $2 in a savings bank. He must know how to wig-wag signals by flags. He has to be able to administer first-aid in case of accidents such as severed arteries and drowning. He must know how to read haps and make them, handle an ax, judge distances and be able to cook for campers. The Boy Scout pledges obedience to parents, kindness to animals, courtesy to all. He has instilled into him a high code of honor and practical applications of the Golden Rule and Good Samaritanism.

The best thing done by the Boy Scouts is that it takes it members back to nature. The closer we keep to nature, the better for our nation. There is always hope for a civilization whose boys are prowling in the woods, hiking cross-country, studying birds and flowers, and breathing fresh air.

In our half-mad swarming in cities, we have given the boy a raw deal, stripped him of his rightful playgrounds, caged him up like an animal and handicapped him with unhealthful environment. For all this, the Boy Scouts movement is in the nature of an antidote. This would be a whole lot better country to live in if the grown-ups started a similar organization to develop the same ideals of brotherhood and get us out into the open country occasionally, away from filth, poisonous air, maddening racket and nervous tension. We need an organization of Men Scouts and Women Scouts.

Some of our local civic organizations have recognized the necessity of cultivating the boy and establishing a new bond of friendship between him and the adult. The Rotary Club, for instance, is doing progressive work in our own city and is seeking to give the boy a chance, cultivating him and promoting scout-craft among them with excellent results. The Kiwan's and the Lions have programmes looking to the development of the underprivileged boys who are now being brought in contact with helpful influences and in whose mind a fine code of honor is being instilled.

NEGRO LYNCHING AROUSES COURT

(By The Associated Press)

LAKELAND, Fla., Jan. 30—The lynching of Abe Wilson, negro, near here January 17 after he had been convicted of cattle stealing, was not a lynching in the general sense of the term, but was "murder as foul as ever perpetrated", Judge A. V. Long told the grand jury today in charging them to investigate the case vigorously.

At a citizen's mass-meeting at Newberry, resolutions were passed, pledging assistance to the prosecution and saying it "matters not his race or color, the law has been violated" and that every effort should be made to "bring the guilty parties to justice".

Scoop's Colyum

DRAKES BRANCH, January 31.—(Grapevine Wireless.)—Last day of the first half of the week; last day of the second winter month. Friday is "Ground Hog" day, after which event we can figure how soon spring will open up. Already the seed people are bombarding us and "eggs for hatching" are being advertised in the papers, as well as young pullets ambitious to raise families. St. Patrick's will be along in about seven weeks and we can put in the potatoes and onions and lay out the rest of the garden patch. Thus we chug along o'er life's unvarying course, following the smooth grooves of custom and habit. As our winter underwear gets thinner and the coal pile shrinks away, we long for the balmy days of spring and the bluebird chorus in the tree-tops. Such is life!



The Majestic Theatre was jammed to the gunwales last night, it looked like everybody was there to see "Eve." The audience got an eyefull all right. In fact, most of us were "wore out" with it. The program announced that the playlet was protected by copyright; but why this precaution? Surely no one else would try to put over a show like this!

How's Business?

"Fine," blusters the judge.
"Pickin' up," says the shop-lifter.
"Booming," blurts the army officer.
"Fierce," says the animal trainer.
"Grave," avers the undertaker.
"Running down," roars the traffic cop.
"Brightening up," says the electrician.
"Tip-Top," titters the steeple-jack.
"Ripping," allows the dressmaker.
"Up in the air," utters the aviator.
"Rotten," says the egg merchant.
—Barneo.

"Young Lady Overcome By Gas While Taking Bath."

(Newspaper headline.)

—Miss Esther Owings owes her life to the watchfulness of Jack Craner, bell boy, and Henry Sawyer, janitor.

Irate Pa—How it is that I find you kissing my daughter?

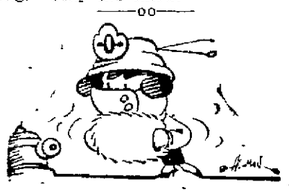
Sheik—I don't know, Sir, unless you were prowling around in your stocking feet.

Goof—I know my wife loves me, why she even comes down to the station to see me off.

Gink—Oh, yes, she wants to be sure that you are leaving town.

"Let me see," said the minister as he filled out the marriage certificate and had forgot the date. "This is the fifth, is it not?"

"No, sir," replied the sweet young thing, "Only the third!"



Spark-plug.

Frank Invitation.

There is one honest brokerage house. It advertises: Let us place your name on our wailing list."—Associated Editors.

Important Discovery.

Frank Cousins says no man in the history of the world has been able to wear a plug hat and drive a motorcycle at the same time.

All work and no play may make "Jack a dull boy," but it often will make you a lot of jack, says Junius.

Driven To It!

"He was driven to his grave."

"Of course he was. Did you expect him to walk."

The principle business of some birds in this burg seems to be that of trying to get along without work. Count the loafers in one block today!

The Beast—You used to say there was something about me you liked.

Beauty—Yes, but you've spent it all now.

Amos Tash says enjoy what you've got at the moment and you'll find almost every moment being something enjoyable.

"I was just reading of a doctor who makes his lady patients happy by prescribing millinery.

"Me, too," said the druggist. "Well, there's no reason why drug stores can't stock it."

Daily Short Poem.

The purse
Is worse.

Fred Townes says no man who owns a second-hand auto can be an optimist.

Where there's a will there'll usually be an inheritance tax.

"Plumber Sues for Lost Love," headline. Maybe he left it at the shop.

Dr. Williams thinks the Missouri woman who is in search of a husband might find one on the golf links.

It's hard to think meanly in the open air," says Gladys.

Shoes guaranteed for 10,000 miles is a pressing need for children.

Survival of Fittest.

It is said that prohibition will breed a harder race. The prophesy is probably correct, for they that survive the moonshine must indeed be hardy.

The auto has done lots of people and done for lots of people.

Jasper Doolittle says the clinging-vine type sometimes turns out to be poison ivy.

The pessimist hopes to obtain a million; the optimist starts a savings account.

If the crusade to prevent the tipping of hats during cold weather succeeds it will be the first anti-tipping campaign that ever did.

Carfare!

For hours they had been together in her parlor. The moon cast its tender gleam thru the window on the young and handsome couple who sat sitting so far apart. He sighed she sighed. Finally:

"I wish I had money, dear," he said "I'd travel."

Impulsively, she slipped her hand into his thereby saving the cost of the room. Aghast, he looked at his hand. In his hand lay a nickel.

No wonder the bride's mother weeps. She better than all else knows what is going to happen to the groom.

TOM SIMS SAYS

The real reason we don't want another war is so few people enjoyed our last one.

Hope the spring poets see their shadow and go back for six weeks.

France wanted to pay the German miners in marks. No wonder they quit.

The man who thought up clocks for socks is still at large.

Who says autoists are not considerate of pedestrians? Dealers say they are demanding lighter cars.

Sad part about not having a wife is you can't blame things on her.

The mints are making more nickels and dimes in spite of the greater demand for quarters and halves.

In Maine, 53 inches of snow fell in one month. This never happened when the Democrats were in office.

Most of our troops are withdrawn from everywhere, even America.

Wouldn't it be possible to make some of these safety razor guards so they will fit on collars?

Statisics show three-fourths of our accidents unnecessary. We can't imagine a necessary accident.

The modern parent promises his son an auto if he doesn't smoke or drink until he is 12 years old.

Willard, ex-pugilist, says all he wants is a chance to come back. He should become a collector.

Tennessee educator proposes school last the year round. Other war news is on our first page.

A war vet tells us he has been gassed twice, once by Congress.

Why is it a day off often becomes an off day?

Hunt the brighter side. Aren't you glad our shortest month comes in winter instead of spring?

Georgetown (Del.) boy stole to go to Florida. These bathing girl pictures should be censored.

We certainly would hate to be vice president. He lives in a hotel.

ROMANCE WITHIN GRASP ESCAPES; JOHNNY PURSUES

NILES, Ohio, Jan. 30.—Johnny is all steamed up.

Some girls made eyes at him. Just like that!

They did more—they came right out and spoke to him.

Now Johnny wants to know who they are. Like the Scot who won his first bet at a race track, he wants to know "how long this thing has been going on."

So the next day the following display "ad" appeared in a local newspaper:

"WANTED TO KNOW.

"Last night, about 8 o'clock, on the way home from town, I met two sweet girls on Robins avenue and one of them said to me: 'Hello, Johnny!'

"So I want to know who you were, and please write to me at this address: "'Johnny,' P. O. Box 140, Niles, O."

GORMAN WINS RACE

(By The Associated Press)

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Charles Gorman of St. John Nebraska, won the 220 yard and Harry Kasky of Chicago the one mile event on the opening program of the thir meet of the Adirondack Gold Cup Skating Series on Pontiac here today.

MAYO BUILDING FIRE DAMAGED

(By The Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 30—Fire of undetermined origin early this morning damaged the Mayo Building in the center of the business section, in which a 25-cent store and a billiard parlor were located. The loss could not be estimated at 2:00 o'clock, but it was said the damage probably

Jobs Spurned by Americans



IN FRANCE HE IS AN ARTIST — HERE, HE IS JUST A COOK

(Special to The Bee)
BY E. R. HIGGINS

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—"Zee American boy, he not like to be chef," said Chef Louis Diat in the glittering corridors of the Ritz-Carlton kitchen which he rules at a reputed salary of $15,000 a year.

This in response to the question why the highly paid job of hotel chef is seldom filled in this country by native-born cooks.

"ee American boy he like be engineer, builder. He like be outdoors in fresh air. I have no American boy in my kitchen. Nossing but French, Italian, Russian."

The distinguished master of the kitchen who paints his masterpieces on the aristocratic palates of the diners at the Ritz, ushered me into his plain but serviceable office. He is tall, handsome, soft-spoken. We sat.

CHEF LOUIS DIAT

"In 'zis country," he sighed, "the chef is just cook—in France he is an artist."

This is what he had to say about his art.

"The hours are long, the pay is small at the beginning, and the air is stuffy in kitchens.

To become a full-fledged chef in 10 years would be to have rare luck.

A chef must be a sort of doctor, knowing the effect of foods and sauces upon his patients in the dining room.

He should have a delight in the discovery of new dishes from every country.

He must be a good supervisor.

Monsieur Diat commenced the study of the cokoing art by paying 300 fraces for the privilege of working 14 hours a day for two years with no pay, in the pastry department of a famous French hotel.

He thinks Americans know little of the art art of coking. They use too little fresh vegetable—too much canned food.

"Prohibition? Ah, zat is jus foolishness! But zis country will always be dry. It is good business. Ze wine grapes of California sell much better now."

PROBE COTTON INDUSTRY BY A FEDERAL BOARD

(BY The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30—Broad investigation of the cotton industry by the Federal Trade Commission is directed in a resolution by Senator Smith, Democrat, South Carolina, reported today by the Senate Agriculture Committee. The inquiry would cover foreign and domestic production and consumption, exchanges, mill operations and all features of the growing and marketing of cotton.

Senator Smith originally proposed that the Senate committee conduct the inquiry, but the committee today decided to refer the work to the trade commission.

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE, NEGRO, ARRESTED ON A CHARGE OF MURDER

(By The Associated Press)

NEW ORLEANS, Lan., Jan. 30.—The Orleans grand jury today returned indictments against William Shakespeare, negro "chief of police" of the Universal Negro Improvement Association and Constantine Dyer, negro, "member of the police force" charging them with the murder of Rev. J. H. W. Eason, negro, who was shot to death as he was leaving a church on the eve of his departure for New York to testify in federal court against Marcus Garvey, negro of New York, president of the Association.

Shortly before dying in a hospital three days after being shot on January 1, Eason, according to the police, made a statement that he had been "hounded" for months by partisans of Garvey and declared that another attempt on his life had been made previously.

OFFICER SENTENCED TO ONE YEAR IN PRISON

(By The Associated Press)

FAIRFAX, Va., Jan. 30—Edgar Raymond Dempsey, former Washington policeman, was sentenced by Judge Samuel G. Brent in circuit court here today to one year in the penitentiary after the former officer pleaded guilty to an indictment charging housebreaking and robbery. Dempsey was charged with having entered the home of Robert Arnold in North Alexandria, represented himself as a prohibition officer, forced Arnold to get into an automobile and robbed him of more than a hundred dollars.

TWO BANDITS ROB PASSENGER TRAIN

(By The Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan., 30.—Two armed bandits held up and robbed passengers of a traction car enroute from Indianapolis to Martinsville, Indiana, seven miles south of here tonight, according to a report to local police from the conductor in charge of the car. Police here were unable to learn the amount of loot obtained by the bandits, pending the arrival of the car at Martinsville. Automobile police squads were sent out from here to the scene of the reported hold-up.

"SECTIONALISM" FAULT MAY BE LAID TO PESTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.— The possibility that the fault of "sectionalism" might be laid to some of the costly pests which plague farmers was suggested by Senator Harrison, Democrat, Mississippi in the course of an address today before the Senate. He referred to the agreement of Senate conference on the agriculture bill to the reduction of appropriations for combatting the "southern sweet potato weevil" while they had insisted, he said, on the rentention in the bill "the money to finance a campaign against the New England corn borer.

DISTRUST SEEN AS EUROPE'S WEAK POINT

PRAGUE, Jan. 30.—Dr. Eduard Benes the Czechoslovak minister of foreign affairs, has published in the newspapers of this city his views on the present political and economic situation in Europe.

Uncertainty and distrust among the states of Europe characterize political relations at the present time, he declares. In Russia the internal situation is not clear, and distrust exists between Russia and his neighbors. Any immediate solution here seems improbable. The German problem centers on Germany's relations to France, and protracted negotiations seem inevitable.

The Lausanne conference will hardly solve the outstanding questions of the Orient, Dr. Benes asserts. Attempts to revise the peace treaties, especially the territorial clauses, constitute a further cause for dissatisfaction. But it should be remembered that these treaties are a necessary basis for the solution of political problems. Reparations and the inter-Allied debts are another factor in the situation, and a handicap to the attempts at reconstruction in Europe.

The victory of democracy, an outcome of the war, will be lasting, the minister continues. The philosophical thinking of today seems to be moving in two directions, nationalistic and democratic.

Democracy wishes to avoid future international conflicts through internal democratization of states and by the solution of internal social problems. Europe finds itself in a long convalescence, and the solution of all the European questions will require many years. What is needed is an atmosphere of political tranquility, which can be achieved only through the recognition of the peace treaties as the basis for any further action. In economic matters it is necessary to work hard, to establish a new system of commercial treaties and to improve the internal administration. This, the minister said, is what Czechoslovakia is especially seeking.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 30.— Several important sheet mills are sold up for the first quarter and the American Sheet and Tin Plate company is sold up to June. If the inspectors fill their books for the first quarter in the near future an advance in prices is expected.

THE ONE-MAN WOMAN—NO. 45

KATE WRITES TO ALICE

By Ruth Agnes Sheline

BEGIN HERE TODAY

KATE WARD, widow of DAN WARD, has a visitor, CHINATOWN ALICE, who says Dan was father of her child.

DOROTHY, Kate is much perturbed. A few evenings later she and her father,

JUSTIN PARSONS, find the unconscious victim of an auto crash near their home and carry him in. Recovering, he says he is JAMES LATHAM. He woos Kate, who, fond of him, yet clinging to Dan's memory, does not know what to do. It develops that Latham knew Dan. He takes Kate to a fishing shack the latter owned and shows her a trunk he thinks may contain papers throwing light on Dan's past, but they find no documents inside. Latham presses his suit. Kate thinks somewhat inopportunely, and they part on rather cool terms.



KATE GLANCED AT THE LETTER AND SMILED WHIMSICALLY.

GO ON WITH THE STORY.

JUSTIN PARSONS was looking at the veranda the night before, when Kate appeared in the door next morning.

"Where did this come from, Katie?" he asked.

"James Latham and I brought it last night, father," she said, and then, after a silence, added: "It belonged to Dan."

"Looks as if it might have done considerable traveling." Justin examined the battered baggage while he talked.

Kate didn't answer. There was nothing for her to say. She and the trunk were strangers. That part of his life which the trunk represented Dan had never shared with her. She wondered vaguely as she watched her father, if Alice had known something of that. Perhaps, she thought, perhaps Alice had known more of his leisure hours than she.

The idea grew on Kate. She became jealous—jealous of something which couldn't exist in the present and which was only a possibility of the past. Her answers to Justin's attempts at conversation were short, preoccupied. Her whole thought was centered on Alice. She must see the girl. She must have it out with her. She must know whether she were in spirit the widow of Dan Ward or whether the thing had amounted to a mere legality.

At length she sat down at her desk composed a note, sealed it, then set out for the village postoffice.

As she dropped the letter in the box she glanced at it and smiled whimsically. It was addressed to "Miss Alice, in care of Sing Loy."

Kate smiled on her way home. She even ventured to think of James Latham. She had decided upon a course. She was quite happy, for her mind could be at rest, at least until an answer to her note came.

She wondered whether Latham would make any attempt to see her in the future. They had parted in a not quite friendly spirit. He had broken a promise and she had not been indulgent with it.

Why hadn't she been, she wondered?

Women always liked to have men break promises when the breaking was a compliment! She should have been happy that he did. And, as she looked back over the thing, she believed that she was. She found herself hoping, in spite of her torment of jealousy over Dan a few hours before, that James Latham would seek her out again and continue to break his promise!

Uncertain of one man, she wanted to flirt with many, for such is the heart of woman!

(To Be Continued.)

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VAL of PARADISE

by Virgie S. Roe



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BEGIN HERE TODAY

JOHN HANNON, wealthy ranch owner, his blind wife, BELLE, and their beautiful daughter, VAL, live happily together in Hannon's wonderful ranch home, Paradise. Redstar is the king of the Red Brood of horses owned by the master of the ranch. In a game at HUNNEWELL'S store, VELANTRIE from the Border wins LOLA SANCHEZ, who offers herself as stake for BRIDEMAN, man of mystery. Velantrie sends Lola home to her father, then rides on his horse, Comet, to the Mission near Paradise for a visit with his friend, FATHER HILLAIRE.

Val asks her father why he does not enter Redstar in the Fourth of July races at Santa Leandra. Hannon replies that Redstar is too fast.

GO ON WITH THE STORY

"Funny thing John Hannon hain't never lost no cattle," Dyke had said once in Santa Leandra, "when every outfit this side the line, an' further north than us, too, has stood to lose a share each year. What's his magic, I'd like to know?"

And John Hannon had heard the word and when next he met Dyke Attison he tapped the two blue guns that swung always at his hips and looked the other hard in the eyes.

"Here's my magic, Dyke," he said evenly. "Want t' see me make it?" And Attison looked back as hard.

"Not particularly," he answered, "but I don't take backwater for what I said. I'd still like t' know some things, bein' curious."

"Curiosity killed a cat, once," snapped the boss of Paradise, "an' it ain't lost ist power none. I'd hate t' haf' t' bore you, Dyke—but you'll either keep a careful tongue in your head about me, or draw quicker'n I can."

"An' you know you've got me there," Dyke said hotly, "an' not only me, but every man on this here range—an' you use th' knowledge to bully th' country with—"

He never finished the sentence, for John Hannon flashed a hand, lightning-swift, at his hip and shot him where he stood—a fine, clever bit of markmanship that broke the right arm above the elbow and left Dyke Attison maimed for life.

"Shoot me full o' holes," raved the latter, "sieve me if you want to! But I'm still curious!" which proved him a man of strong mettle, indeed, facing John Hannon's guns.

"I ain't killin' you t'day," said Hannon, "I'm teachin' you a lesson—an' any others that might be—too darened curious."

And he shoved the gun into its holster, turned on his heel and strode away without a backward look.

CHAPTER VI
The Cry of a Desert Owl

"VAL darling," said Belle Hannon, groping through a door to the depth and coolness of the great room which was her daughter's own particular place, "how's the dance dress coming on?"

Val went quickly to meet her and drew her forward to a chair beside the deep slit of the west window. It was a rule of that house that none should pass those outstretched hands.

"Perfectly lovely!" cried the tall girl, "see."

And she snatched a fluff of white from the high-built bed and spread it on her mother's lap.

"There are gathers, little ones, about the neck and a pretty spreading ruffle. The sleeves are short—just a bit above the elbow. The skirt is full and has three little ruffles, too. I shall wear my red silk sash and the Spanish shoes with the red heels that dad brought me last year when he came home from his trip. There are red roses beginning to bloom on the old bush beside the kitchen door and I'll put one of them behind my ear. I have the red feather fan, too."

"Beautiful!" said the woman, her sensitive fingers feeling expertly of the sheer material on her lap, "seeing" the make of the garment, "you will look like a full-blown rose yourself, Val, I know."

The girl laughed and a small dimple came out in her left cheek just above the lips' corner. Her dark eyes were melting soft at the vision of herself in all this finery.

"You just bet I will," she said serenely, and Belle laughed also. There was a close camaraderie between these two.

"And your father says Boyce Clendenning will be up from El Rio Rancho to run his silver horse."

Instantly Val frowned.

"Funny how dad likes that man," she said, "he thinks the sun rises and sets in him."

"He must be a good man, else your father would not think so," said Belle, quietly, "and isn't he young?"

"Yes."

"And handsome?"

"Yes, he is. Big, blond, heavy-shouldered, and with the smartest eyes I ever saw—except dad's when he's studying some one.

"Boyce Clendenning's got sense, I stake my pile."

"And he's got more than any man of his youth in all this country. The proper worth of El Rio Rancho itself makes him rich, not to mention the range he holds."



"OH! I BEG YOUR PARDON, GENTLEMEN!" CRIED VAL.

"All true, Belle dear," said Val, "but just the same I'd rather dance with Billy Smith from the Lazy B, or that Texas boy who rides for Quinlan. And say, say, mamma! but that boy can dance! He's slim as a reed and his feet are like tumble weeds in the wind. I hope he'll be in Santa Leandra this time. Haven't seen him for six months, not since the day I rode with dad after cattle down Arroyo Pecos way."

"Nice boy, of course," said Mrs. Hannon, "but the daughter of the Boss of Paradise must look a little higher than a cowhand, dear. Your father has reached always for the highest, the best in its line, as he says of everything. 'I like it,' he says, no matter what it is, 'because it's the best in its line.' I guess he likes Clendenning because he's the biggest cattleman—after himself—in the country."

"I guess," said Val.

"That's why he loves the Redstar, too—why he's so proud of you, Val, and of Paradise. He's got the best in its line of everything the range-land gives."

"In wives, too," laughed the girl as she put the finishing touch to the gauzy white fluff and hung it carefully away behind a curtain against the ancient wall. "I guess we're not some proud family, all right!"

And pride was in Belle Hannon as she rose and went swiftly and surefootedly away into the northern regions of the house on some business of the mistress among her servants, humming a little soft tune—the pride of the loving heart in the strength and power of those it loves.

Val, clear of the tedious sewing, stretched her young arms, snatched a sombrero from a corner, drew a flannel shirt over her curly head, donned a riding skirt and ran out along the stone floor of the narrow veranda that edged the house and the patio both.

Three cowboys in dusty clothes were coming in from the corrals, Briston the foreman, Dirk Hammond and Rosy Peters.

At sight of the girl every pair of eyes softened, each lean face broke into a smile.

As if she did not see them Val strode briskly along and bumped into them—and they, knowing the little trick, leaned in together, making a solid wall of defense—the weakest wall of defense in all the world against the sweetest assault.

"Oh! I beg your pardon, gentlemen!" cried Val, her lovely eyes wide, "but you're all so small I—I nearly ran over you!"

Chuckling, the riders passed into the house, for Fanita was ringing the big bell that spelled dinner to those within its sound, but Val swung out to the corrals and looked among the horses there for Redstar. He was not there, but Redcloud was, trotting restlessly about, his beautiful head tossing, his pasterns springing with every step, pliant as tempered steel.

So. The boss rode west. And he rode Redstar, of course.

Well, she would take Redcloud—or no—there was Dawnlight drowsing in the sun, belying her name and her nature with seeming meekness. Val caught her up and flung a saddle on her shining back—and the vixen spread her slim legs, drew in a deep breath and lifted her spine a trifle, ready for something when the cinches should tighten up.

But Val Hannon was her father's girl in her utter lack of fear of horseflesh, in her masterful spirit.

Now she laughed and set a quick knee against the mare's ribs and jerked the latigo with a practiced hand.

"You would, would you, you pretty wildcat?" she said, "well—s'well—swell if you want to!"

And she pushed the breath out of Dawnlight's lungs with every pull of the strap.

The high-tempered creature switched her long tail and laid her pointed ears back along her neck and her eyes flashed, but Val put a heavy hand to her bit and set her back with a jump.

In the midst of the action the girl put her foot to the stirrup and went up like a cat. Dawnlight screamed and flung herself sidewise, shaking her head, but Val lifted her on the bit and came down with her braided quirt across the shining flanks—and Dawnlight steadied like a lady, pacing out of the corral on all four feet, properly. This was the only one of all the Red Breed who needed discipline.

Once out of the yard and beyond the house with the open plain before her she broke into instant flight and sailed down and away like a bird, a wondrous, easy gait, swift and light and sure, that brought a smile of pleasure to her rider's face and forgiveness for her faults. It was noon and the vast spread of the range country lay clear and sharp beneath the light.

Val rode down between the weathered monuments, left Paradise miles to the north and west, crossed the Little Antelope, where she let the mare drink deep of the brackish water, and came up out of its shallow dip between the scattered cottonwoods that fringed it.

Before her, some three miles off, the gaunt, pale bulk of Refugio Mission stood boldly out. Val smiled and struck her heels to Dawnlight's flanks and rode fast toward the ancient landmark.

Father Hillaire stood to greet her in the gate, as he had stood to greet so many, but few comers to Refugio brought with them the joy to light his kindly face that shone there now.

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Tilden, Tennis Star, Undergoes Finger Operation

BY WALTER CAMP
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NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Speculation still is rife today as to the effect the operation his finger will have on Tilden's game. Dean Mathey's defeat of the Tennis Champion 6-1, 6-4, at the Brooklyn heights casino recently was a surprise

It is true that Mathey was not at his very best; but it is equally true that there was something missing in Tilden's work. And yet there is no really sound reason why Tilden should not play as well as ever so far as actual, manual dexterity is concerned. In fact, there is far less handicap than would come to a golfer, for the tennis stroke, even at it's best, is a far less delicate thing than a golf stroke

A bad knee or a bad ankle would be much more likely to lower Tilden's —or any other player's—class. Probably the results of contests coming so soon after Tilden's operation are in great measure, phycological as the champion gathers confidence, he should come back to his best.

Penn, according to reports reaching the writer today, is delighted with the plans outlined by Lou Young, her new football coach.

Andy Smith, who has made the University of California's team team the most feared on the Gridiron map of the country, is coming on in the spring to aid in the selection and pretraining work of his candidates while Young is being a school for a quarter backs. Young is with Pennsylvania's system of defense but not with her attack. He says he proposes to go directly at this phase of his work.

Pennock Goes To Yanks In Trade

NEW YORK, Jan., 30.—The New York Yankees today announced completion of a deal with the Boston Red Sox by which the American League champions acquired Herb Pennock, veteran southpaw pitcher, in exchange for three young players, George Murray, Norman McMillan, infielder and Camp Skinner, outfielder. No cash was involved in the deal.

Pennock, one of the most reliable portsiders in the American League last year was sought by the Yankees when negotiations fell through for Jakie May, crack southpaw of the Portland Oregon Club of the Pacific Coast League.

Last season with the last place Boston club, Pennock won ten and lost 17 games. He began his major league career with the Philadelphia Athletics in 1912, going to Boston in 1015. He was the last survivor of the Red Sox team of the world's champions of 1918.

As a result of their latest deal with the Red Sox, five of the six regular pitchers on the Yankee roster are former Boston stars Besides Pennock they are Waite Hoyle, Joe Bush, Carl Mays and Sam Jones. Four other regulars also are ex-Hubmen—Babe Ruth, Wally Schang, Joe Dugan and Everett Scott.

The trio of youngsters traded for Pennock are regarded as unusually promising. Murray, recruited from North Carolina Satate and farmed to the Rochester Internationals in 1921 was used in a utility role last year. McMillan, obtained from the Greenville S. C., club of the South Atlantic Association and also farmed to Rochester in 1921, played in the outfield for a time last year but is expected to be assigned to the regular third base job with the Red Sox by Manager Frank Chance Skinner was used chiefly as a pinch hitter last season with the Yanks. He was obtained originally from the Georgia State League and farmed in 1920 to Dallas in the Texas League

YANKEES STILL AFTER COLLINS

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan 30—Colonel Jacob Ruppert, part owner of the New York Yankees, declared today he expected to renew negotiations with the Chicago White Sox, in an effort to obtain Eddie Collins, veteran second baseman at the spring meeting of the American League at Philadelphia February 19.

Colonel Ruppert denied reports that the deal, one of the principal topics of discussion during the December sessions of the major leagues here, had been discarded. He said attempts to reach a satisfactory basis of agreement with White Sox officials so far had failed but that he still hoped for success.

Colonel Ruppert did not indicate whether the Yankees had altered their proposal which was understood to involve the exchange of Aaron Ward, Bob Meusel and a pitcher for Collins, Bob Falk and Ted Blankenship. A previous hitch was believed to have developed because New York balked at including Waite Hoyt, who was sought by Chicago

VAUGHAN AGAIN WINS

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 30—Car A. Vaughan won his second victory in the national amateur pocket billiard championship today, by defeating Humboldt Fess, New York 125 to 94.

"REB" RUSSELL WAS BIG THUNDER IN SWAT CIRCLES OF NATIONAL LEAGUE

National League pitchers will give plenty of attention to "Reb" Russell of the Pittsburg team the coming season.

Russell, former White Sox pitching star, is now the big thunder in National League swat circles.

If you have your doubts about it peruse the following data gleaned from the averages during the short time Russell tarried with the Pirates last year

In the 60 games Russell played for Pittsburg he batted .368, and ranked next to Rogers Hornsby, the league leader.

Russell made 81 hits in 220 times at bat, including 14 doubles, 8 triples and 12 home runs. He was tied for tenth place in hitting circuit blows —a most remarkable feat when it is considered that he performed in less than half the contests on the schedule.

His ability as a slugger is further attested to by the fact that of his 81 safe crashes, 34 of them went for extra bases, his record of total sacks being 147.

As cleanup batter on the club, Russell also did exceptionally well, being responsible for 75 tallies his team accrued. He ranked eighteenth in this department of play, beating out such men as Carey of the same club, Hollocher of the Cubs, and Daubert and Burns, Cincinnati, all of whom played in over 150 games, or about 90 more than did Russell

Much is therefore expected of "Reb" Russell this coming season, who has returned to the major leagues, not as he left—a hurler—but as a fence-busting outfielder.

HOPPE TO MEET JAKE SCHAEFER

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Schaefer is to get another whirl at Willie Hoppe for the 8 2 balkline billiard title

Recently Schaefer met Roger Conti, the French champion, for the right to play Hoppe. Schaefer won in a decisive manner.

It was Schaefer who dethroned Hoppe after Willie had held the title for so many years that it was almost regarded as his permanent property.

When Hoppe was finally beaten it was predicted that as a champion he was through —that the double defeat handed him by Schaefer would break his morale.

Hoppe disproved such an opinion by winning back the title in less than a year He hopes to retain possession of it. In commenting on the coming match with Schaefer he modestly says.

"I never make predictions therefore I won't say that I will win, but I can truthfully say that I am prepared to give my best and hope it will be good enough to win."

CRACK GOLFERS INVADE SOUTH

Texas is certainly strong for its golf

The winter golf bid has already been pied off at San Antonio. A prize list of $6 000 has entired practically every professional of note to the southland.

From San Antonio the golfers will hie to Corpus Christi, Tex., where the pros will shoot at one thousand bucks in prizes.

Other Texas cities to entertain the traveling professional will be Beaumont Del Rio and Houston

From Texas the golfers will go to Louisiana, where big tournaments will be staged at Shreveport and New Orleans.

During the short sojourn in the south, the country's best professionals will shoot at a prize list aggregating $25,000

These purse don't make it appear as if the clubs in the south intended to heed the warning that too much money is being handed out to the pro.

JIM BARNES, STAR GOLFER, QUITS RANKS OF BACHELORS



JIM BARNES AND BRIDE

"LONG JIM" BARNES, golfer extraordinary, has added another big reason for desiring to topple Gene Sarazen and Walter Hagen into the discard, and once again reign as champion

The reason is Miss Caroline Haggerty, who recently became Mrs. Jim Barnes.

Marketing Work Brought To Close

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30 —Fundamental business facts of agriculture are being supplied to farmers directly as never before by the Department of Agriculture. Establishment of shipping point inspection in several leading agricultural states together with nation-wide expansion of its market news service by the use of radio, and the establishment of a grain market news reporting service, have brought the United States Department of Agriculture closer to farmers during the last year

Co-ordination of economics studies covering each phase fo the processes of production, marketing, and distribution of farm products, has made that result possible During the year, the Bureau of Markets and the Bureau of Crop Estimates were consolidated into the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates. The office of Farm Economics and Farm Management was later brought into the group forming what is now the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, thus rounding out the whole plan of handling economic problems from producer to consumer.

Outstanding activities have had to do with cost of marketing, collection of information relative to agricultural competition of foreign countries with the United States and the demand for American farm products in foreign countries. Also the effecting of arrangements for securing information as to condition and production of crops in various foreign countries, an analysis of the economic situation in the livestock industry and the development of plans leading to the more orderly marketing of livestock and many other studies and investigations.

Particular attention was given the cost of marketing livestock in the Corn Belt States. Data on various phases of marketing were obtained from 219 organizations which ship livestock on a co-operative basis 37 local buyers and 27 producers who ship their own stock independently. The co-operative agencies from which information was secured shipped more than $22,000 000 worth of stock during 1921 the bulk of the shipments consisting of hogs. A series of bulletins each dealing with a specific phase of the marketing of livestock through the agencies studied is to be issued. Men are maintained in Argentine, London, England, and in the Balkan countries, collecting information relative to agricultural competition of foreign countries with the United States, and the demand for American agricultural products in foreign markets. A special study of the English market for American pork and pork products was made. Two representatives were also sent to Europe to make an economic survey of agricultural reconstruction and to arrange for the interchange of information as to the condition and production of crops in leading European agricultural countries. Work on the establishment of a world crop reporting service was also begun.

Special attention was given the developing of a service for reporting marketable supplies and movements of meat animals. Additional safeguards as checks on statistical methods of making crop estimates were effected A special survey in May showed the prospective number of hogs for the fall markets Estimates of the acreage of durum wheat under cultivation June 1, as distinguished from mthe hard spring wheat varieties were made A check on live stock and other estimates, showed the estimates in accord with census figures.

Studies of organized fruit auction companies disclosed valuable information Although fruit auction companies in the larger city markets handle about $110,000,000 worth of fruit annually, little has been known of the details of their organization and regarding their relative efficiency in the handling of different classes of products. Grades for fruits and vegetables received greater attention during the year than ever before, the number of commodities for which federal grades have been formulated being brought to 14

Tentative grades for shelled Spanish peanuts also were recommended Shipping point inspection of fruits and vegetables was established in a number of states under co-operative agreements

Tentative grades for grain sorghums were distributed to the trade and are now in use in all of the important grain sorghum markets. Two types of an improved grain cleaning device for cleaning wheat on the farm were designed and tested in the spring wheat producing areas. Many additional phases of co-operative marketing were studied A great increase in the number of requests for licenses under the United States warehouse act occurred. 268 cotton warehouses being registered under the act at the close to the fiscal year, 263 grain warehouses. 18 wool warehouses and 14 tobacco warehouses.

HAWAII PINEAPPLE CROP FALLS SHORT THIS YEAR.

HONOLULU, T. H., Jan 30 — Present indications are that Hawaii's pineapple pack this year will fall about 500,000 cases short of the preliminary estimate of 5,250,000 cases, announced by the Association of Hawaiian Pineapple Canners On the basis of an average value of $4.25 a case, this will give an approximate revenue of $20,187 500 Early estimates for 1923 place the probable output at about 5 250,000 cases.

GOVERNOR IS OFFERED VARIETY OF STILLS

(By The Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 30.— Governor Warren T. McCray is wondering if some one is trying to play a joke on him He received in his mail today an offer from a company in Newark, N. J to sell one or all of 134 copper and aluminum stills for the moonshine liquor [illegible]

ONE-MAN BALLOON FOR NICE LITTLE JOYRIDES

DAYTON O., Jan. 31.—Three United States licensed balloon pilots here wanted a balloon of their own to play with. They decided a big commercial balloon was too expensive, so they built their own outfit and are having a good time with it.

It's the world's only one-man balloon. It has a capacity of 5000 cubic feet of gas, is 22 feet in diameter and costs about $10 to fill. Frequently it costs nothing.

It will carry but one passenger and can be raised or lowered by means of a propellor, hung just between the balloon cables and the basket or harness clamp.

At the point where the basket is attached are three pulleys, through which an endless rope belt passes. This belt causes the propellor to revolve.

If the pilot wishes to go up, all he has to do is to keep the propellor turning in a given direction. The propellor exerts a four-pound thrust, which causes the balloon to rise.

Coming down, the operation of the propeller is reversed, which exerts the same pressure in the opposite direction.

The balloon, propellor and basket, or harness, comined, only weigh 125 pounds and can be folded up and carried by one man if necessary.

C F Adams W. E. Huffman and Matt Corbett are the government employes who constructed this unique hand-propelled aircraft.

The new ship is fully protected by patents, obtained through government channels, as the government is interested in the development because to its possibilities for use in time to war.

The balloon is so small and so easily handled that it can make a hurried trip to high altitude, drop out an antenna and by means of radio instruments, pick up any messages which may be going through space.



THE WORLDS ONLY ONE-MAN BALLOON IN OPERATION AT DAYTON, OHIO

Indians Due To Finish Better Says Speaker

BY WILLIAM J. HUSKE

CLEVELAND, Jan 30 — "The Indians will finish higher this year than they did last."

This is the confident predjction of Tris Speaker, gray-thatched leader of the tribe for three and one-half seasons, in one of which, 1920, he piloted his team to the world's championship, in another finished second, being nosed out in a gruelling finish at the wire in 1921, when his pitchers failed to stand the strain, and last year coming in fourth behind the Yanks, Browns and Tigers.

"Spoke" is laying no claims to a pennant. The work of rebuilding a team that may in time become a contender for the highest honors was begun in midseason last year, when Speaker realized that his veterans had passed the zenith and could no longer be depended upon; and when the umpire's "Play ball!" is [illegible] at Dunn Field, April 18, the team that will take the field in Cleveland's home uniforms will not be recognized by one who watched it make its fights for pennants in 1920 and 1921.

Many New Players

New men will be seen at third base, where Walter Lutzke, obtained from Milwaukee this Winter, will replace the veteran, Larry Gardner, whose batting eye is still good, but whose "pins" have seen their best days.

At first "Stuffy" McInnes, long considered the best fielding first baseman in the league, will have to fight for a place with Louis Guisto, sub on last year's team, and Frank Brower, obtained in a trade with Washington this Winter. Brower was used both in the outfield and at first base by Miland and is said to have a healthy swat that may manufacture many home runs over the short right field fence at Dunn Field.

The other infield positions will have Bill Wamby at second and Joe Sewell at short, with Riggs Stephenson ready to put in, should either show signs of faltering.

Behind the bat Speaker believes he has the best string of catchers in either league.

Steve O'Neill will again be the "first string" man, with Glenn Myatt and Luke Sewell to relieve him in case of necessity.

Tris Rejuvenated

In the outfield "Spoke" himself expects to have one of the best seasons of his long career and declares that the trouble he had with a bad knee last season has been entirely remedied by a long hunting trip in the mountains of Wyoming, from which he returned only a few weeks ago. Jamieson will be back in left field, while the third regular will be selected from among a number of promising youngsters, Joe Evans having gone to Washington, and Joe Wood, the "Smoky Joe" of Boston pitching fame now coaching baseball players at Yale.

For pitchers, Coveleskie, Morton and Uhle are the only veterans, but in Sherrod Smith, secured from Brooklyn last year, Metivier, Bedgood and half a dozen others who have come up with good records in the minor leagues Speaker believes he has the making of a first-class pitching staff.

"We'll finish higher than last year," was his parting prediction. "If Coveleskie, Uhle and Morton make good and we uncover a real find among our youngsters, look out! I'm not claiming anything more than improved standing, but"—And the Indian leader left his sentence unfinished.

SEASON OF 1923 SHOULD BE BIG ONE FOR THE MAJOR LEAGUE RECRUITS

Third base appears to be the most unsettled position in the American League

Of the eight clubs, Joe Dugan of the New York Yankees is the only player who has his position cinched

In the east, Boston and Washington are both shy third sackers. A half dozen athletes played the difficult corner at Washington last season. Practically as many essayed to fill the bill at Boston.

Connie Mack will have as his one best bet for third, Sammy Hale, the much-touted Coast League star. Hale will displace Jimmy Dykes at third, the latter moving over to second.

In the west, Cleveland must develop a man to replace the fast-shipping Gardner At Detroit it will be either Jones or Haney. St. Louis would welcome a star third sacker Frank Ellerbe's weak knee makes his play questionable while Eddie Foster cannot stand the strain of regular work.

Willie Kamm, the $100,000 beauty from the San Francisco team of the Coast League, is expected to be a fixture at third for the White Sox Kamm is said to be a wonderful fielder and a fair hitter.

Never was the American League quite so weak at third base as at the present time. Dugan at New York is a certainty. Kamm and Hale, highly touted recruits, are expected to deliver for Chicago and Philadelphia, while third base on the other five teams is very much open.

The season of 1923 will be a great year for recruits with the proper stuff. Fast-aging veterans will make them eligible on many a major league club

For the Game's Sake

By LAWRENCE PERRY.
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NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Now the situation is up to the Inwood Country Club. The executive committee of United States Association has sanctioned the East versus West team match which he Professional Golfers Association proposes o arrange as a curtain riser to the National Open championship at Inwood next summer

The proposal is that some twenty of the leading professionals in the east and west sections of the country, ten to a side, shall be matched and that Gate shall be charged. Proceeds go to the P. G. A. Benevolent Fund. The idea from a sporting standpoint is alluring The match, if all goes well will be held the Saturday preceding open championship week.

They are going to award the varsity letter to Northwestern to students who make the Golf team and play in the important matches. The game has just been installed as a varsity sport and a competent instructor added to the staff of coaches Golf is an established adjunct to the Athletic system of most of the big eastern universities and a great many of the smaller colleges But as yet Varsity insignia are not given for prowess in the sport. They are much more progressive out west. Varsity letters in the eastern universities are not awarded for tennis either. This, because tennis and golf, while they call into action more players than any other three sports combined, are not "Major sports."

Rather curious, isn't it?

NAVAL ACADEMY TO PLAY N. C.

RALEIGH N. C., Jan. 30.—The United States Naval Academy is on the North Carolina State College baseball schedule next season for two games, one to be played here March 30 and the other at Annapolis April 28, according to an announcement tonight by J. W. Harrelson, graduate manager. State's season will open with Furman University in Raleigh March 27 and close with the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill May 12.

Although the Middies and Techites have met frequently on the home grounds of the latter, they have never clashed in this city and the trip of the Naval Academy this summer will be its first extensive tour. The game will be played in the morning. In the afternoon, Maryland University will give the Techmen their second battle of the day

Among the other institutions on the completed schedule are Elon, Wake Forest, Davidson, Washington and Lee, Virginia Military Institute, Trinity, Catholic University and Guilford.

"Y" TEAM WILL PLAY WINSTON HERE SATURDAY

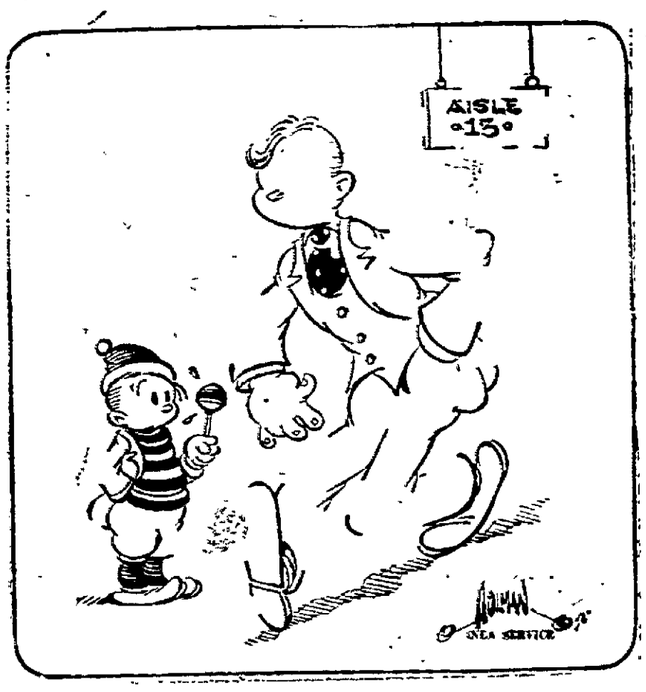
The Y. M. C. A. team will play the strong Winston-Salem Y. M. C. A. on the Municipal Floor Saturday night starting at 8.15 P. M.

The Danville boys strengthened by the return to the game of Herman Lea Gug Dudley and Boss Riddle who have been out of the line up for the last two games, are going out to win and show the fans that we have a winning team. The boys put in a hard practice last night and will practice again Wednesday night and will expect to be in the best shape possible. bring along your horn; a little encouragement will be appreciated. Come out and see the team play and

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Walter Camp Writes Daily For The Bee



WALTER CAMP.

Walter Camp, who has often been referred to as the father of American football, and who is just as well known to followers of other amateur sports, writes daily for The Bee. His name is almost a household word. Every school boy has read his handbooks or stories of sport. Every fan of the gridiron awaits his predictions and his comments on the men in moleskins. He is the final authority on football.

For six years Walter Camp played on the Yale University football team and was captain of the Varsity eleven for two years. Just as expert at baseball, he served as captain of the Varsity nine for four years in the position of left field, shortstop and pitcher. He rowed on the class crew and represented Yale in the first intercollegiate tennis tournament. A frequent contributor to the magazines, including Harpers, Scribner's, Colliers, Century, Outlook, and the Independent, he has also found time to write numerous books on sports. During the war he was chairman of the Atlantic Department of the Navy Commission on Training Camp Activities, and he then developed his "Daily Dozen," a series of modified setting-up exercises which were used in both the Army and Navy. As an advocate of exercise in the maintenance of good health, Walter Camp has many followers.

All his newspaper articles will appear in Danville exclusively in

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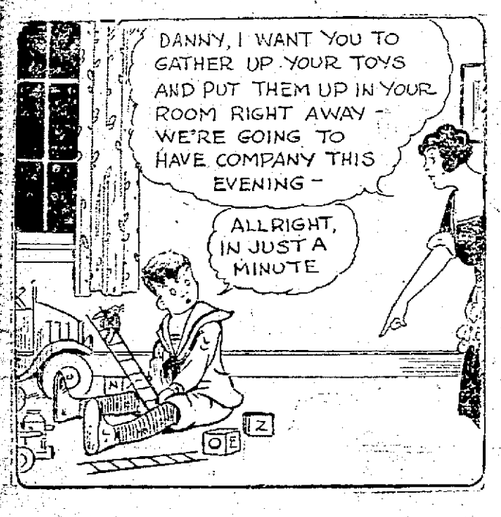


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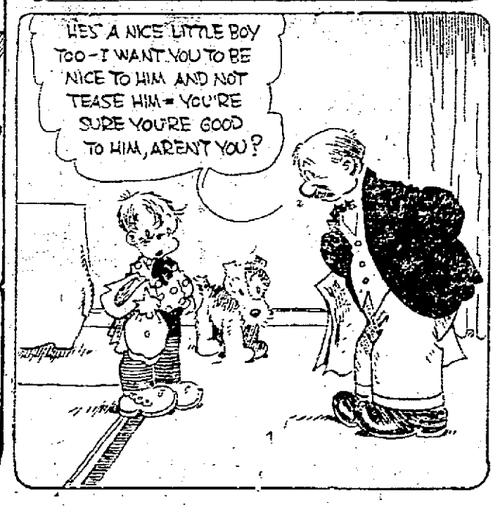


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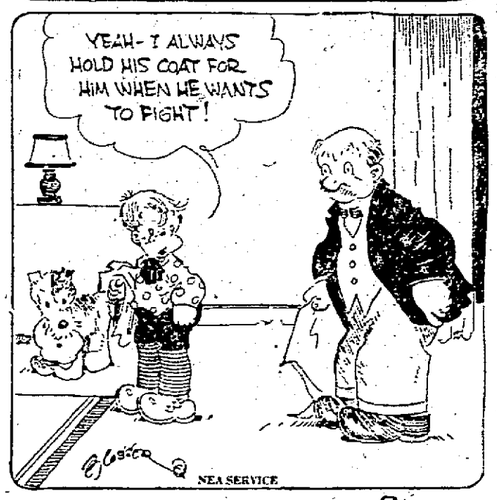
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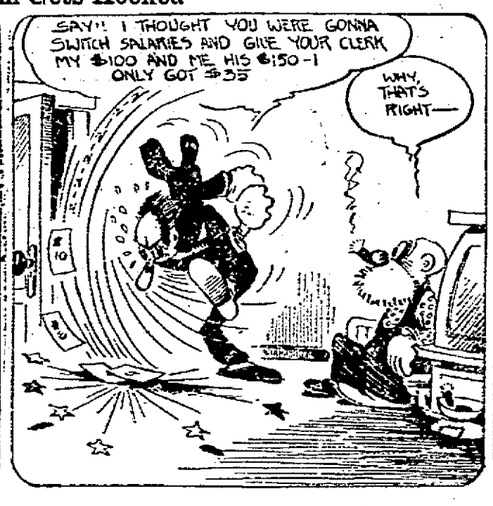


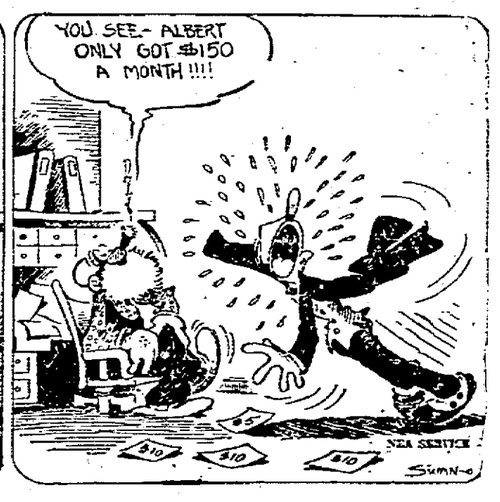
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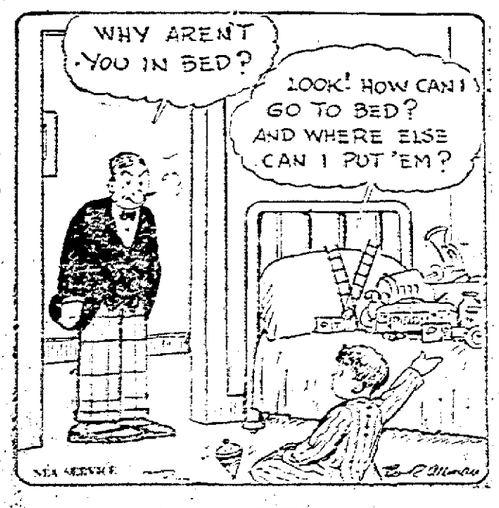
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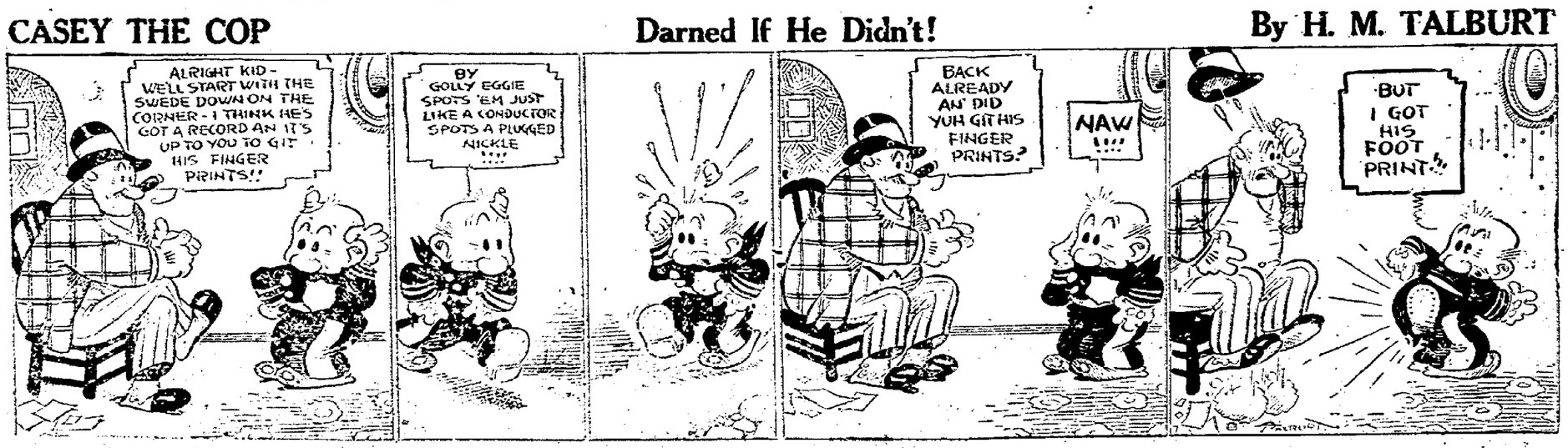
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COAL

BOSTON, Jan. 30.— There is a feeling in the woolen trade today that the level of prices named by the American Woolen company for fall fabrics is too low as compared with current quotations on raw wool and expectations were expressed today that goods prices would be gradually advanced.

NAVAL STORES

ATLANTA, Jan. 30.— Southern Naval Stores operators will meet here in Feb. in attempt to reach an agreement with the carriers on the rates from Georgia to Ohio and Mississippi river crossings. The producers are fighting to maintain rates on rosin, pitch and turpentine.

BOXES

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 30.—Large concerns here which manufacture merchandise containers today are arranging plans for plant enlargement as demand is growing so fast production cannot keep pace.

Jumped



Washington (D. C.) police are holding John Larcombe, Jr., son of a prominent banker, pending the outcome of injuries sustained by Miss Elizabeth Rhoades (above) who is said to have leaped from a window in Larcombe's apartment.

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WANTED—3 OR FOUR ROOMS apartment by Feb. 1st. Address P. O. Box 640. 1-10 B&Rtf

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FOR RENT—4-ROOM APARTment, water and bath, 527 Patton St. Phone 2214-J.

EUROPE IS EAGERLY DEMANDING SALMON

By Hyman H. Coen

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 30.—Europe is eagerly demanding canned salmon and inquiries indicate that the demand is greater than the available supply at present. The principal call at present from Europe seems to be for Pinks but the domestic inquiry for Reds is excellent with business being accepted by the Packers around $2.25 per dozen.

There is no general offering of pinks but small lots are being picked up at $1.25 a dozen. Most of the dealers who have supplies of this grade are saving them for customers who will also take some reds. There are apparently no chums available in packers hands and quotations on the grade are therefore purely nominal.

ICE

PITTSBURG, Jan. 30.— All of the local ice companies with the exception of one small concern will be consolidated. The new concern will be known as the Federal Ice Company.

LABOR SITUATION

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 30.— The labor situation throughout the southwest is excellent except in the case of office workers. There are more of these than business houses have been able to absorb.

FREIGHT TRAFFIC

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.— Freight traffic on the Western railroads as appeared of last year, but the trend at the moment is downward.

FIRE LOSSES

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 30. —Fire losses in this city in the last year aggregated $5,117,714 compared with $6,498,200 in 1920. There were 5,658 actual fires. Insurance rate remain high.

CLOTHING

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.— Big clothing manufacturers with plenty orders on their books are rushing work today on spring goods and increasing their payroll. Hart Schaffner and Marx is expected to surpass even the 1922 ecord which showed earnings has increased over $3 a share.

FURNITURE

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 30.—Furniture dealers said today that the demand for office furniture was from 15 to 20 per cent., above the co-operating period of last year, although only a moderate number of offices have been opened.

Missing



Grace Reichen, 23, shown here, is sought by her parents and police. She vanished mysteriously from her Chicago home January 15.

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STRAYED FROM MY HOUSE 1021 W. Paxton St., Sunday evening, English Setter puppy, 7 months old. White brown ears and brown spot on back. Finder return and get reward. Phone 1816. 1-28 B3t

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SAVOY HOLT IS HELD

(By The Associated Press)

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 30— Savoy Holt, alleged chairman of a committee which planned the "armed march" of 1921 and J. W. Swanner, accusd of activities around Sharples that preceded the march were brought back to West Virginia today from Glouster, Ohio by West Virginia state police who reported to headquarters here that the men had waived extradition.

The prisoners now are on their way to Logan where they are both under indictment.

A Cold Wave

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NOTICE

We have duly qualified as Executor of the estate of C. A. Fowler, late of this city, and we request that all parties havin gclaims against this estate or indebted to the decedent will kindly communicate with us promptly. FIRST NAT. BANK OF DANVILLE, Executor of C. A. Fowler, deceased. R1-25 2-8; B1-31 2-14

Champion on His Honeymoon



World's welterweight champion Mickey Walker recently took unto himself a wife. Here is the bexer and his bride spending their honeymoon at Atlantic City.

SHE HOLDS HIGH POSITION



Mrs. T. V. Wesella Oakland, Val., who says she's world's only woman steeplejack, is shown here on her way up a 200-foot smokestack she's contracted to paint. Though she daily flirts with death, she says marriage is the greatest hazard. "It's taking greater chances than painting the eagle on a flagpole," she says, "but I happen to be happily married." The husband also is a steeplejack.

Six Reasons Why Mary Carr Is Good Movie Mother



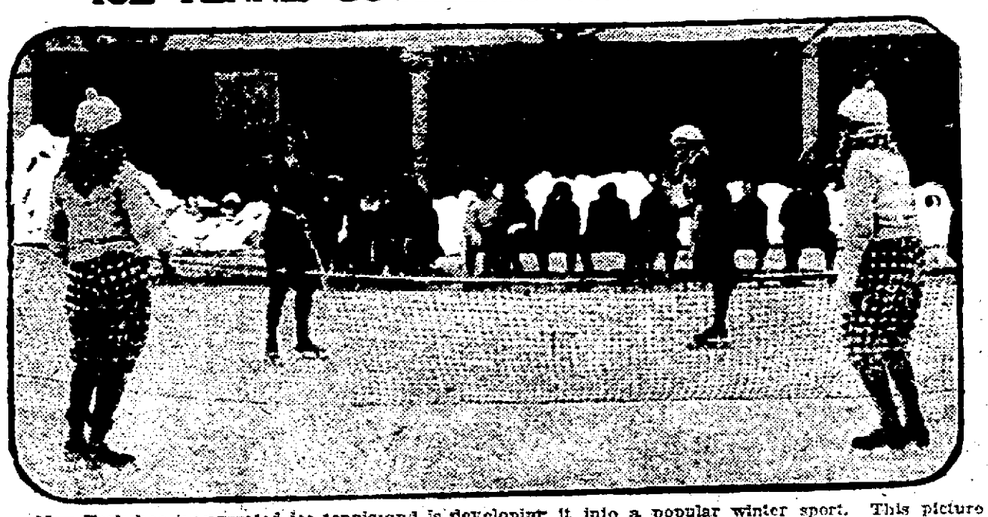
"Career or family?" "Both," says Mrs. Mary Carr, screen favorite. Here she is shown with her six children, left to right, John, Luella, Thomas, Mrs. Carr, Maybeth, Stephan and Rosemary.

Where "Citizens' Committee" Held Reign Of Terror



The courthouse and principal section of Harrison, Ark., where an armed band, designating itself as a "citizens' committee," took over the functions of the constituted authorities with the expressed motive of ending alleged sabotage by railway strikers. One striker was hanged, scores deported and beaten and officials were asked to resign.

ICE TENNIS GOTHAM'S WINTER SPORT



New York has inaugurated ice tennis and is developing it into a popular winter sport. This picture shows a game in progress at the first rink to establish courts. The city park department is expected soon to lay out several ice courts.

For Sale or Exchange For City Property

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STATE DEM. COM. MEETS ON FRIDAY IN RICHMOND

A special meeting of the State Democratic Committee has been called for Friday evening at 8 p. m., at the Murphy Hotel, Richmond, by State Chairman Harry F. Byrd. One of the chief matters to be settled at this meeting will be the manner of nominating a candidate to succeed George T. Rison, who resigned to accept the office of Commonwealth's Attorney for Pittsylvania.

There are two avowed aspirants, John W. Carter, Commonwealth's Attorney of the City of Danville, and Nat E. Clement, of Chatham. Citizens of the county have gone on record as favoring a concention to nominate, while those in Danville favor a primary on the date of the general election, February 20. As there is no Republican candidate it is held that the general election would admirably answer the purpose of a primary.

It is requested that all the members of the committee attend the meeting Friday evening as there will be a number of matters of importance, in addition to the Pittsylvania and Danville nominating question, to come up for attention.

SENATE PASSES HEFLIN BILL

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.— Without a record vote the Senate today passed a bill of Senator Heflin, Democrat, Alabama, repealing an amendment to the federal reserve act which authorized the imposition of a "progressive" rate of interest upon excessive loans. Mr. Heflin said the provision was not now being invoked by the Federal Reserve Board but expressed the fear that it might be used unfairly in the future.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Jan. 30.— Coke productions reached 245,000 tons last week, the largest for any co-operating period since February, 1920. Over six hundred ovens were first during the week. There is a surplus of labor, with strikes called. Only the car supply limits production. Miners who participated in the recent strike are having trouble finding work. Eight dollars is a liberal price for furnace coke, while foundry is a dollar higher. Steam cost is slightly higher at $3 with best grades of Connellsville By-Product at $3.50.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 30.— Car supply is a factor in prices of coal. There is a spread between $3 and $3.75 for run of mine steam coal. Lump and prepared tonnage runs up to $5 to $5.55. Product and gas coal averages about $4 with a wide range in selling prices.

Premier



Premier Drury of Ontario will make his first official appearance at the opening of the Dominion Parliament.

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Senator's Wife Takes Cabinet Women to Task

Mrs. Miles Poindexter Says They Enjoy Petty Graft at U. S. Expense—Cites Use of Autos for Shopping Trips.

BY GEORGE H. MANNING
(Special to The Bee)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 31—Senator Carter of Virginia bore the brunt of the desultory but bitter battle in the Senate Monday when the Banking and Currency Committee succeeded in its effort to defeat the motion of Senator Thomas Heflin of Alabama, to have an amendment to the Federal Reserve Act referred to the Agriculture Committee instead of to the Banking and Currency Committee to which it would ordinarily go.

The Senate also voted 42 to 21 against Senator Heflin's motion to direct the committee to report the amendment back to the Senate within five days, after Mr Glass had made a speech denouncing the Heflin proposal as an affront and insult to the committee. It was a decisive vote of confidence by the Senate in the fairness and integrity of the Banking and Currency Committee which had insisted that all banking legislation be referred to it and opposed being harrased with provision for hasty consideration.

Senator Heflin's amendment, admittedly meritorious, would repeal the power of the Federal Reserve Banks to charge a progressive rate of interest on loans such as resulted in the Atlanta Federal Reserve Bank in 1920 charging rates ranging up to 87 1-2 per cent. interest on some loans made to a national bank in Alabama.

It is clear matter of record that during the period of financial deflation in 1920-21, the district Federal Reserve Banks in Atlanta, Dallas, Kansas City and St. Louis, charged progressive rates of interest ranging up to 87 1-2 per cent. The story became so notorious that early in 1921 the practice was stopped and steps were taken to rebate all interest charges collected over 12 per cent.

Senator Heflin has repeatedly charged, and it has not been denied, that while the struggling farmers of the South, verging on bankruptcy, were being charged these extortionate interest rates the traders, speculators and financiers in Wall Street were paying only 5 and 6 per cent.

Senator Glass did not oppose the amendment, nor was opposition to it voiced by any member of the committee. Mr. Glass, on the contrary, favored it, and so apparently did the other committee members, although they contended it is unnecessary because the banks two years ago abandoned the progressive rate of interest. Senator Glass insisted it was an affront and insult to the committee to urge that the amendment go to the Agriculture Committee.

Mr Glass asserted that the progressive interest rate was put in effect only in agricultural districts by the Federal Reserve Board was misleading. The Federal Reserve Board had not directed it, but had approved it. The practice had not brought about deflation, as charged, said Mr. Glass, but on the contrary had brought about a better distribution of rediscounts.

"I think it is time for the members of the Banking and Currency Committee to understand whether they are under suspicion," declared Senator Glass, "or whether they are to be perpetually offended here by having measures which properly come under their jurisdiction referred to some committee that has nothing whatsoever to do with the merits of the proposition advanced."

Senator Glass said he believed it was unwise to vest the banks with power to impose the progressive interest rate, in the first place: believed the power should be repealed now, and was in favor of taking such action at once; but said he wanted it done in a fair and orderly manner.

There was a cropping out during the debate of the none too good personal feeling existing between Glass and Heflin since they passed the lie back and forth between them about six months ago. In an attempt to chide Heflin for the intemperance of his criticisms, Senator Glass said:

"I am a partisan when I go out on the stump and arraign my political adversaries; but here, under my oath, I think there is an obligation to be temperate and scrupulously accurate."

Gaining the floor a little later Senator Heflin gave this reply:

"I fought this evil out on the stump in the hustings. I fight them here in this chamber as best I can. There are Senators who only fight them on the hustings, and when we get here —ah—

" 'As bees on flowers alighting cease their hum,
" 'Some Senators elected soon grow dumb.' "

Heflin charged Glass with defending the deflation policy, but Glass denied it.

Heflin criticised Senator Glass again for coming to the rescue of W. G. P. Harding, former Governor of the Federal Reserve, and for accepting Harding's statements of what the board did, as correct.

President Renews Ship Subsidy Fight

Tells G. O. P. Senators at White House Conference to Push It to Vote.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—President Harding is not giving up the Ship Subsidy Bill, on which he stakes his reputation—to use the phrase quoted by that mythical person known as the White House spokesman—without a struggle. Seven sensational ringleaders of the G. O. P. were summoned to the White House, it developed today, and impressed with the importance of getting the unpopular marine measure to a vote.

The seven—Lodge, Warren, Wadsworth, Lenroot, Jones of Washington, official chaperone for the subsidy; Curtis, and even Hiram Johnson—were told the legislative decks must be cleared of rural credits, army appropriations and all the rest of the program in time to vote on the subsidy before the session expires March 4.

But the subsidy sentiment has undergone no violent change, and the Republican apathy about that Farmer Alienating Bill remains the same notwithstanding the presidential pressure. As a concession, however, the party bosses have definitely decided to scrap some of the lesser material cluttering the menu.

They have included in the Jettison the Truth-in-Fabric and the Filled Milk Bills. The former meant a row in any case, with the wool growers pulling for it and the wool weavers against it, and charging it was a scheme to boost the price of raw wool. The latter has been fought for by the most strenuous kind of propaganda from women throughout the country. Tax exempt securities also are scheduled to be side-tracked. But then they also involve trouble.

Mr. Harding was represented as saying everything must be rushed through to get the vote recorded on the subsidy, and that he would be satisfied with nothing less. Longer hours, even night sessions, were urged and possibly may be ordered.

Jumper Is Sure to Be Here Again



Every year there's a variation to the jumper frock.

It has become a uniform of comfort and simplicity throughout the warm months.

This season's model has the neck cut down to the waist, the better to show a frilled lingerie blouse. It has no sleeves, of course, and the back is cut with a yoke. It hangs straight from the shoulders in the back and belted in front. What fullness there is is shirred in on each side.

INVITATION ACCEPTED

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—President Harding today accepted the invitation extended by Chile and Peru to act as arbitrator under the Tacna-Arica protocol which resulted from the conference held in Washington last year.

Formal notification of the president's acceptance was communicated by the State Department to the Chilean and Peruvian ambassadors for transmission to their governments.

TO ELIMINATE TECHNICALITIES

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—A bill introduced today by Chairman Volstead, of the House Judiciary Committee, provides that no indictment found by a federal grand jury shall be deemed insufficient because of defects or imperfections in matter of form, unless the defendant's rights are prejudiced. It also is provided that attendance before grand juries of stenographers or other counsel for the government shall not render indictments void.

HARDWARE

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 30.—Hardware is in excellen demand today as a result of the continued activity in building construction. Demand for implements from the rural districts is not brisk, however.

CAPITOL JOKES

By W. J. M'CORMICK
U. S. Representative-at-Large From Montana



M'CORMICK

CHARGES of corruption and bribery had been bandied about by both sides in a certain election contest, and among the witnesses called by a congressional committee hearing the case, was a colored man named, as all colored men in stories are named, Itastus.

"Did anybody offer you money for your vote?" asked the chairman.

"Yes, sah, a man give me $5 and told me to vote for Mistah Robinson, the Republican."

"Did you take it?"

"Yes, sah and then another man give me $10 to vote for Mistah Harris, the Democrat."

"Did you take it?"

"Yes, sah."

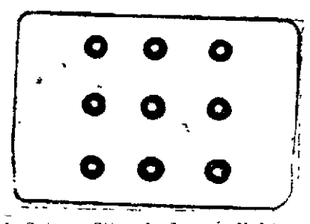
"You got $10 to vote for the Democrat and $5 to vote for the Republican. How did you vote?"

"Well, sah, I figured that the Republican was the least corrupt of the two, so I voted straight Republican."

FAILED IN THEIR ELOPEMENT LAST FALL; WED NOW

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 30—Miss Carolyne E Chuster, 19-year-old daughter of W. Morgan Chuster, president of the Century Company of New York and William Morris, son of a Glasgow, Kentucky merchant whose attempted elopement last September was frustrated, were married yesterday in Rockville Md. This was made known today by the couple who are registered at a local hotel. They announced their intention of leaving shortly for Florida where they will spend several weeks of their honeymoon.

A PUZZLE A DAY



A fixture fitter had nine light sockets which he wished to put in one room. He was anxious to make a neat symmetrical arrangement and he hit on a plan of placing the sockets so that they formed ten rows with three sockets in each row. What was the arrangement?

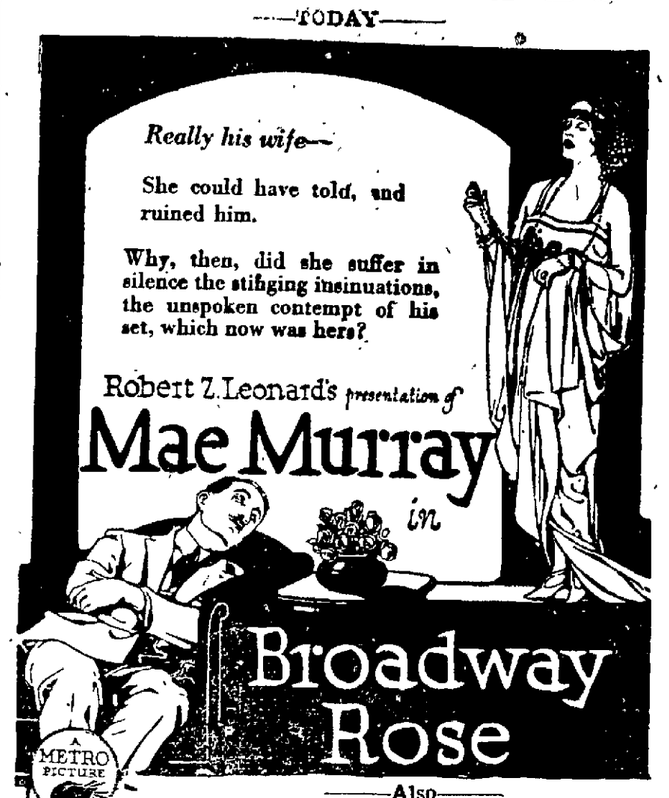
Yesterday's answer:

The telegram sent by the traveler read:

"I am going to plant onions, etc."

His friend took the words "plant onions etc." and, by transposing the letters, formed the word "Constantinople," the traveler's destination.

BROADWAY
—TODAY—



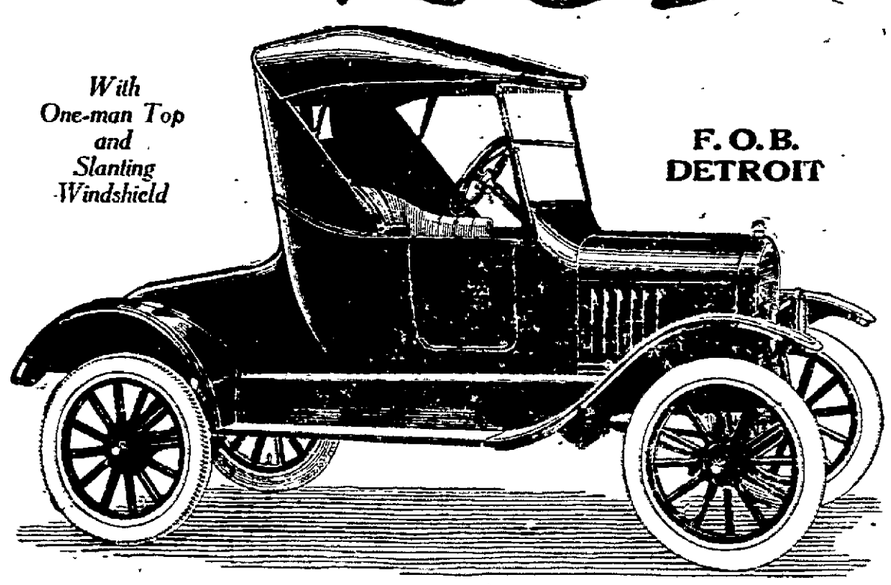
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